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## COMPANY MADE A GOOD SHOWING

### Regular Army Inspection of First Company, Coast Artillery.

The regular army inspection of the First Company, New Hampshire Coast Artillery, was held on Friday evening at their armory on Court street and it was most satisfactory.

The inspection was made by Maj. Geo. H. B. Olley, Adj. Gen. N. H. N. G.; Brig. Gen. William Sullivan, Inspector General N. H. N. G.; Lieut. Col. H. E. Tuthery, U. S. A., retired, surveying officer; Col. Arthur Pierce acting assistant inspector general N. H. N. G.; and Captain R. B. McBride, U. S. A., in command of the Portsmouth District Coast Artillery, and Major C. B. Hoyt, battalion commander of the N. H. C. A. C.

The inspecting officers arrived during the afternoon and inspected the quarters and properties of the company.

At 7.45 the headquarters of the bat-

alion were inspected, and at eight o'clock the officers went to the armory where they were received by Captain Frederic T. Harriman and the company paraded.

There was only one member absent without leave and the company made a fine showing, both in the inspection and the drill.

The Dover company will be inspected on Monday evening.

At the inspection on Friday evening there were about fifty spectators present including the officers and several members of the Dover company.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Doan's Reguloids (25 cents per box) correct the liver, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

## CANNON LICKED KITTELY LETTER The Norris Rule Adopted Spring Term List of Teachers

Washington, March 19.—The Norris amendment to the rules of the house of representatives with the number in the new committee to be ten instead of fifteen as originally proposed was adopted at the reassembling of the house this afternoon. There were three roll calls.

Speaker Cannon ruled that the Norris amendment was out of order.

Dalzell moved that the Norris amendment be laid on the table. The motion was lost, 161 to 184.

The previous question was ordered by 182 to 160.

The appeal from the chair was sustained by 182 to 160, and the Norris amendment was declared to be in order. The amendment was then adopted.

The naming of the committee to divide the members into districts for the choice of a new committee on rules is the business now before the house.

There was intense excitement and the galleries were packed. Speaker Cannon has visibly aged in the last forty-eight hours.

## A Move in Favor of Woman Suffrage

### Church News and Changes in the Two Villages

#### First Brick Barge Movement of the Season

Kittery, Me., March 19.  
Kittery correspondent's telephone 297-5.

Following is the list of teachers in the common schools in town for the spring term: Bennett school, Harvey Knight; Fernald, Miss Maud Moulton; Mitchell grammar, John W. S. Hodgson; intermediate Mrs. Mary Baker; primary, Miss Helen Bicknell, assistant, Miss Mildred Coes; Wentworth grammar, Miss Georgia Glidden; primary, Mrs. Pearl P. Chick; Austin grammar, Miss Mabelle Moore; primary, Miss Emma Gleason; Safford, Miss Hattie Mitchell; Shapleigh, Mrs. George Pierce; superintendent of music, Miss Millie A. Damon.

The concluding performance of the Yankee Dixie Coons at Wentworth Hall Friday evening was fully as satisfactory as the first and was equally well enjoyed as the first by a good sized audience. The thoroughness of the drilling of all participants was evident at every situation, and the ability with which the parts were universally carried off was refreshing. At the termination of the affair dancing was indulged in by a goodly number until midnight. The minstrels, it is unanimously voted gave one of the best exhibitions for a long time.

Miss Alice Coes will sing at the Easter evening service at the Unitarian church in Portsmouth.

A regular meeting of Dirigo Encampment was held in Odd Fellows Hall Friday evening.

Schooners Van Allens Boughton and Katherine D. Perry and barges Allen town and Trevorton are due at this port with coal.

The Piscataqua Navigation company on Friday opened its brick business when the tug Piscataqua towed two barges to York to load for Boston, the first of the season. Two others are loading lumber at Portland. The new barges ordered last fall for the company of Portland and Kennebecport shipbuilders, it is said are nearly ready for delivery.

Mrs. Willard E. Locke and daughter of Locke's Cove were the guests of Mrs. Frank Locke on Thursday.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union is about to engage in the question of equal suffrage and is contemplating a debate on the subject in the near future.

George P. Smallwood of Portsmouth was in town Friday on business.

St. Aspinquid Tribe of Red Men met Friday evening in Grange Hall.

The Sunday services at the Second Methodist church will be: At 10.30 a. m., preaching by pastor; subject, "The Transient and the Eternal." At noon the Bible school with classes for all ages, beginning with the cradle roll. At 5 p. m., vesper service with sermon by the district superintendent, Rev. D. B. Holt of Portland; solos, by request "The Holy City" by Adams and "The Palms" by Faure, to be given by Mr. Googins, tenor; also other special music. At 6 p. m., Epworth League meeting.

On Monday evening the last quarterly conference of the church year will be held in the Methodist vestry.

The Epworth League is to have a Willow plate and chafing dish social and entertainment, on Wednesday evening. A souvenir plate will be given free.

Mrs. Frank Call returned to her home in North Berwick this afternoon after a few days' visit in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker of Love Lane will pass Sunday in York.

Miss Almendra McIntire of Love Lane has returned home from a week's visit in Nashua.

Death of Miss Louisa Beal  
Miss Louisa Beal died at an early hour this morning, aged eighty years. She was a native of York. For many years she was housekeeper for Mrs. Johnson, mother of the late Dr. A. W. Johnson, of this town, but in late years had been the victim of misfortune and, when too old to support herself became a town charge. She left no known relatives.

Kittery Point  
Kittery Point correspondent's telephone 297-5.

Mrs. Mary Lawrence is to move from the tenement of Mrs. Ellen Frisbee into that of Mrs. Harry Handoff, and Frank C. Frisbee and family will vacate the apartment over Frisbee Brothers' store and occupy Mrs. Lawrence's former abode.

Several members of the gipsy moth force have concluded their labors with the insect suppressors and are to engage in lobstering the prospect for which is reported as bright this spring.

Owing to lack of material the Horace Mitchell school baseball team will not be strictly a school team this year. A good team is expected, but nothing outside of its class is to be tackled.

The Sewing Bee of the First Christian church meets next Thursday evening with Mrs. Noah E. Emery.

Fred Trefethen has returned from a visit in Wells.

Mrs. Martha Leigh of Dover is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Augustus S. Tobey.

Abram Seaward, who has been visiting relatives in Somerville, Mass., has returned.

The Busy Bees meet this afternoon with Miss Fannie Fletcher.

Charles E. Mills has sold his 25-foot motor boat to Enoch F. Adams of Portsmouth. She was one of the first power boats to be owned in Kittery Point, and will be missed from the local fleet.

Joseph Emery and Leonidas Sawyer have concluded their duties with the gypsy moth force.

The Junior Mission Band met this afternoon at 2.30 with Mrs. E. P. Moulton.

Miss Catherine Cousens is visiting relatives in Kennebunk.

The S. V. Fancywork club met Friday evening with Miss Margaret Fletcher.

The First Christian church voted recently to extend a call to Rev. C. J. Yeomans of the Christian church at York Corner to succeed Rev. J. A. Donahue, who resigns April 1 to accept a pastorate in Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Yeomans, however, was unable to accept having promised to fill another pulpit in Baleville, N. J.

The subject of the afternoon service at the Free Baptist church tomorrow will be "The Question and Meaning of the word Yoke." Matthew 11:29. In the evening the subject will be "Made Over."

At the First Christian Church Sunday morning the subject will be "A Finished Work," evening, "Get-the-semantic."

Howard Badell lost a horse from colic Friday night.

NOTICE, K. OF C.

The members of Portsmouth Council, Knights of Columbus, are requested to meet at their hall at 10.15 a. m. on Monday to attend the funeral of the late William J. Kelley.

JOHN LEARY, Grand Knight.

JOSEPH B. FLYNN, secretary.

The small boy is busy every spare minute with his bat and ball.

## HIBERNIAN CONVENTIONS HERE

### New Hampshire Ancient Order and the Auxiliaries in September

The state conventions of the Ancient order of Hibernians and the Ladies' auxiliary will be held in this city in September next, the representatives of both organizations coming here on the same dates and meeting to transact business in two different halls.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians have twenty-two divisions throughout the state and, with the county and state officers, will send one hundred or more men to the convention.

The ladies will have the representation of thirteen auxiliaries in about

ninety people. The Portsmouth people of these organizations have already started on the arrangements to care for the visitors. It is the intention of Portsmouth to make these conventions the most active ever held in New Hampshire.

The delegates are delighted at the selection of Portsmouth for a meeting and, as for the pleasure and of the affair, this city is going to give the guests such enjoyment that they will want to hold these conventions in Portsmouth as often as possible for the organizations to do so.

## SALVATION ARMY PLANS

### Temporary Officers Are to Take Charge This Evening

The Salvation Army music will again be heard in Market square this evening, the first time since last Saturday night.

Following the strange disappearance of Captain Dallas W. Cobb, Jr., which was exclusively reported in the Portsmouth Herald on Thursday, Major Cowan of Portland, commanding the northern New England district, ordered Envoy J. W. Sykes of Kittery to take temporary charge. Envoy Sykes was engaged in special work at Gardiner, Me. He came home Friday night and took charge this morning.

The services will be resumed at the usual hour this evening. Tonight and during Sunday Envoy Sykes will be assisted by Envoy Lawson of Haverhill and Ensign McMullen of Portland. The ensign is the aid to Major Cowan.

The disappearance of Captain Dallas W. Cobb, Jr., is as much of a mystery now as it has been at any time. As previously told, he started on Sunday morning for Hampton, where he was to deliver an address, and his whereabouts from that time are not known. His wife is as much in the dark as anybody.

He had, so far as can be learned, only a small sum of money with him, and there is not even an intimation of anything wrong with his accounts. No enemy or creditor was pursuing him. He was regarded by the people of the city, the soldiers in the Salvation Army and his superior officers, as a success in his position.

Mrs. Cobb and her two little children started on Friday afternoon for New York where she is to stay at her sister's until permanent arrangements can be made.

## RYE

### Clearing the Lot for the New Library

#### Schools Are Closed for a Vacation of One Week

Rye, March 19.—All roads will lead to the Town Hall on Monday evening, March 21, to hear Mr. Charles W. Gray of Portsmouth give his interesting and instructive song lecture "Scotch songs those who made them." He will be assisted by Mrs. Priest as soloist, and Mrs. Hobbs at the piano. The modest door fee will go for the purchase of new books for the public library and such a worthy cause should insure a large attendance.

Mr. Richard Varrell was a visitor in Reading, Mass., on Thursday.

The ideal club held a whist and dancing party in the Town Hall on Thursday evening, which was well attended and very much enjoyed by all. Thirty tables were required, to accommodate the people playing whist. Mrs. Fred Smart won the ladies' prize and Mr. P. W. Reib the gentlemen's. After whist was concluded dancing was enjoyed until midnight. The music was furnished by Miss Jennie Rinder and Alonzo Berry.

The schools of the town closed Friday for a two weeks' vacation. Miss Mary Rund is having the trees removed from the lot which she recently gave the town for a public library.

## THE WEATHER

Saturday night and Sunday—Fair with a rise of temperature and light southerly to westerly winds.

Sunday is Palm Sunday.

AT THE STAPLES STORE

### 12 Specials 12 For Our Saturday After Supper Sale

Ladies' Jabots, Stocks and Collars, made from Lace, Lawn and Chiffon—After Supper Price.....10c Each

White Pearl Buttons, a good assortment of sizes—After Supper Sale.....4c Card

Pearl Bone Hair Pins, extra heavy, 4 on a card—After Supper Price.....9c Card

Infants' Heavy White Cotton Waists, small sizes only—After Supper Sale.....9c

Ladies' Very Fine White Lawn Handkerchiefs, hemstitched—For After Supper Sale.....3 for 10c

Standard Apron Gingham, all sizes, Checks—In After Supper Sale.....6 1-4c Yard

Bleached Cotton Cloth, 36 inches wide—In After Supper Sale.....7c Yard

Iceland Fleece Kimona Flannels, usually sold 10c yard—After Supper Sale.....

6 1-2c Yard

White Striped Muslin Sash Curtains, extra large—After Supper Price.....

12 1-2c Yard

Children's Blue Chambray Rompers, sizes 2, 3 and 5—In After Supper Sale.....23c

Women's Fleece Lined Wrappers, many with White Figures, size 44 only, were \$1.25 and \$1.50—After Supper Price.....79c Each

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150 " ".....	1.50
250 " ".....	2.25

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## NORTH DAKOTA TO BE COMMISSIONED APRIL 6

Washington, March 19.—The United States navy will gain two more battleships inside of three weeks, for orders were issued at the navy department Thursday to take over from the contractors and commission the battleships and the North Dakota, sister ships of 20,000 tons each. The Delaware will be commissioned at Norfolk April 4, and the North Dakota at Boston two days later or as soon thereafter as practicable.

### Theatrical Topics

Henrietta Crosman Here Next Thursday

The engagement of Miss Henrietta Crosman in "Sham" at Music Hall on Thursday evening, March 24, promises to be the most enjoyable comedy event of several seasons. Miss Crosman, who is easily conceded America's foremost comedienne, is happily suited in her new play, which took New York by storm and fascinated Boston.

She will come here surrounded by her original supporting company, direct from Boston.

"Sham" is an epoch making drama. It deals with a vitally interesting subject and treats it in a deliciously humorous vein. In the central character of Katherine Van Riper, a young society woman who lives in an apartment on lower Fifth avenue and maintains her position in the most exclusive social set on \$200 a month and her wit—principally her wit—Miss Crosman has created a role that ranks in charming interpretation with her Rosalind, Nell Gwynne and Kitty Bellairs. The play is smartly written and offers a contrast between the people of simplicity who do real work in the world and the hollow pretence of those who live on others. Katherine goes her checkered path until two men come into her life—one a Western millionaire trying to break into New York society, and the other an energetic young engineer who is outspoken in his disdain for all shams and hypocrites. This man awakens her better nature, and after Katherine has decided to pay all her debts and begin life anew, she finds true happiness in the love and admiration of one sincere man.

Miss Crosman looks as beautiful as ever, and the play permits her as well as the other ladies of the company to appear in some very fetching gowns.

### Closing Week of Boston Opera Company

The seventh and last week of the first season of the Boston Opera company at the Boston Opera house, will open with a performance of "Rigoletto" with one of the strongest casts. Althe Nielsen will take the part of Gilda and Constantino the part of the Duke. Baklanoff will sing the title role. Others in the cast will be Laveroni as Maddalena, Virginia Pierce as the Countess Ceprano, Elena Kimmes as Gialvanna, and Joska Swartz as Paggio. Olivette will be Sperafucile, Pirini will sing the Count Contarone, and Pulcini Marullo. Howard White will be the Count Ceprano with Ernesta Giaccone as Borsa. Arturo Luzzatti will conduct.

At the request of several of the patrons of the Boston Opera House, the management has decided to transfer three of the subscription performance to Monday. The regular Wednesday performance will be given in Holy Week. There will be Tuesday evening presenting Rachmaninoff's Der Geizige Ritter, with George Baklanoff as the Baron. This will be followed by J. Pagliaro, with Fely Dereyne, the French mezzo soprano, as Nedda, and Constantino as Canio. Baklanoff will sing Tonto and others in the cast will be Rodolfo Fornari, Guglielmo Balestrini, J. Strosoco, and Howard White, Arnaldo Conti will conduct.

The regular Saturday matinee will be given on Wednesday afternoon, March 23d, with a performance of La Boheme. Lydia Lipkowsky will sing the role of Mimì for the first time and Hermann Jadowitzky, the eminent Russian tenor of the Metropolitan Opera House will be Rodolfo. Fely Dereyne will be Musetta for the first time. Others in the cast will be Raymond Boulogne, Jose Margones, Attilio Pulcini, Morgan, Tarcchia, White and Strosoco, Wallace Goodrich will conduct.

Tosca will be the opera to be presented on Wednesday evening at popular prices. The cast includes some artists who have not appeared in this opera before at the Boston Opera House. Tosca will be sung by Emma Hoffmann, and Mario Vavarandossi will be sung by Paul Bourillon. Scarpia will be sung by Ramon Planclart. Others in the cast will be Perini, Morgan, Giaccone, Pulcini Strosoco and Elvira Leveroni. Conti will conduct.

The last performance of the season by the Boston Opera Company will be given Thursday evening at 7.45. This will be the regular Friday evening subscription performance. Mefistofele will be presented.

with the original cast including Nielsen, Constantino Marcondes, Deryne, Claessens, Lereront.

### NORTH HAMPTON

The arrangements for the big fair to be given by the Home Workers of the Congregational church are nearly completed. The fair is to be held on Wednesday afternoon and Wednesday and Thursday evenings, March 23 and 24. On Wednesday afternoon a pleasing entertainment will be given, commencing at three o'clock. On Wednesday evening the program will be furnished by the popular and well known entertainer, Ida Jenness Moulton, of Beverly, Mass. On Thursday evening the dramatic club of Rye will present the drama, the "Village Schoolmarm." The following committee are in charge of the fair: General committee of arrangements, Mrs. Herbert S. Knowles, Miss Flora E. Taylor, Mrs. Robert Mitchell; committees in charge of booths, ice cream, Mrs. Albert E. Locke, Mrs. John W. Hobbs, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Leon Berry; fancy work, Mrs. Charles Page, Mrs. John W. Berry, Miss Lamlia Hobbs; candy, Mrs. Horatio L. Marston, Miss Flora Garland; Larkie booth, Mrs. J. Russell Dow, Miss Elsie Knowles; punch, Mrs. Walter Coss, Mrs. Chester E. Seavey; aprons, Mrs. Thomas Shaw, Mrs. Fred Quimby; children's mysteries, Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Miss Flora E. Taylor; supper committee, Mrs. Hattie Seavey, Mrs. Morris Locke, Miss Nellie Taylor, Mrs. William Philbrook; afternoon entertainment, Mrs. Fred L. Shaw, Miss Flora E. Taylor.

Union lodge, Knights of Pythias, observed its first anniversary on Friday evening, the 18th, the lodge was organized March 19, 1909, with 44 charter members. The present membership is 71, and the lodge is in a very prosperous condition, with nearly \$1000 in the treasury. It is hoped to add a large number to the membership during the next few months. Arrangements were made to entertain visitors from Exeter, Portsmouth and New Castle.

North Hampton station is getting to be quite a noted shipping point for live stock. There are several car loads arriving and departing each week.

The ladies are soon to organize a lodge of Pythian Sisters here. About 40 charter members have been secured and the organization will be completed as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made.

### GREENLAND

Edwin Holt Pickering, of Cambridge, Mass., has been a recent guest of his mother and sisters.

Miss Lucy B. Record has been visiting relatives in the vicinity of Boston for a brief rest after her strenuous work in caring for severe cases of illness.

Miss Ethel D. Lord returned on Thursday from several days stay at Cambridge, Mass.

Mr. Coolidge, from Peru, Vt., was here over the Sabbath to visit his brother, Harlan Coolidge.

Walter Holly has been in Boston for a week past, returning on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Helen Norton, of Derry, has announced the engagement of her only daughter, Henrietta Mae Norton, to Dr. Fred Britton, of Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. Edward A. Spaulding, of Manchester, is the guest of her brother, Justin Ambrose.

Miss Florence D. Lord, of Uxbridge, Mass., will pass her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lord.

Miss Elizabeth Lovering is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph Berry, in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Mabel C. Markley, of Westland avenue, Boston, is in town for a week or more.

The receipts for the use of the town hall last year were \$45.00; expenses, \$65.95. The rate of taxation on each \$100 last year was \$1.80; this year, \$1.90.

On Tuesday evening, March 29, after a successful term of instruction for children in dancing by Miss Gladys Seavey, she will give a class exhibition from 8 to 10, followed by

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genera dancing later.  
By order of the board of health, \$204.99 was paid the past year for expenses accruing from contagious disease.

An estimate from the school board calls for \$675 for school tuition and \$125 for books and supplies the next school year.

According to the report there are in town 155 horses, 600 cows and 85 other neat stock, 46 sheep, 250 fowls and only 4 oxen.

The public library has at present 4,887 volumes, an increase of 192 during the year past, of which 160 were purchased and 32 were gifts. The largest number taken out on any one day 104, the smallest 11, an average of 46 books each library day.

Rev. Dr. Edward Noble and Rev. Bernard Copping exchanged pulpits last Sunday morning. The excellent sermon by the latter held the undivided interest of his hearers to the close, and furnished material for later meditation and improvement.

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### RAILROAD NOTES

Two work trains were started on the Gloucester branch today where the work of putting double track will begin at once.

The Concord and Portsmouth train due here at 6:10 p. m. was on hand late on Friday, being delayed by a switching engine off the track at East Manchester.

There is some talk of running the evening Pullman, due here at 8:40 from Boston, as express to this city on the summer schedule of train service, which comes in June.

The electric block semaphore signals from Jewett to Day's Sliding, were put in operation on Friday.

H. J. Amundson of Keene, who has been running as express messenger between this city and Concord, in the absence of Messenger Smith, concluded his duties on Friday.

New incandescent lights have been installed at the depot and roundhouse.

A broken rail on the Eastern Division was discovered by one of the signalmen, at Elliot, late Friday afternoon. No train service was interfered with and the section crew soon had the rail replaced.

The matter of the changing of the names of the East Rochester and West Rochester stations has been taken up by the Boston and Maine management and considered with the purpose of eliminating the similarity and prevent confusion in train orders. New names will be substituted for these stations, satisfactory to local residents, to be in effect on publication of the summer time schedules.

### CRUISER RELEASED

San Francisco, March 18.—After two weeks in quarantine the armored cruiser Washington was released on Friday. No cases of smallpox have developed since the Washington arrived North.

There is to be another class initiation of the Alpha Council, Royal Arcanum next month.

## FROM EXETER

Exeter, March 18.—The death of Mrs. Martha A. Towle, widow of Levi G. Towle, occurred at her home on Maple street. Death came very suddenly, she having but shortly returned from a walk down town. She was born in Newmarket, Sept. 19, 1834, the only child of John S. and Martha (Hilton) Walker, and most of her life was spent here, where she came when a child. Her husband for many years conducted the American house and did an extensive livery business. A son, Edward G. Towle of Exeter, and two daughters, Mrs. Anna Averill of Exeter, and Mrs. Elbridge G. Watson of Williamstown, Mass., survive her.

Miss Mary Swasey died at her home in Brentwood after a brief illness with bronchitis. A brother, John Swasey, and a sister in Nottingham, survive.

Two Lenten recitals will be held at the Phillips church, the first one on Sunday at 4 o'clock by Mrs. Joseph E. Knight, organist, and the second one on Saturday, March 26, at the same hour. Clarence M. Collins will sing at the latter.

Master John P. Brown celebrated his fifth birthday at his home on Pine street Friday afternoon. He entertained his schoolmates from Miss Sarah Smith's private school and his neighboring playmates. Light refreshments were served and the young host was remembered with several gifts. The afternoon was spent merrily by the playing of games.

The concert given by the Phillips academy musical club at the town hall, Friday evening, was heard by a large audience of townspeople, and students. The club were assisted by Miss Edith J. Ellis, soprano; Fred V. Carey, tenor, and Leon E. Lewis, bass soloist. Selections were rendered by the band mandolin, and glee clubs and also the academy quartet, in all comprising about seventy boys. Mr. Lewis rendered several excellent band selections, and Mr. Carey and Miss Ellis were also heard in pleasing numbers. The glee club was in charge of Sanford S. Ames, leader, of Winchester, Mass., and comprised twenty-eight voices. The mandolin club was led by B. H. Clark of Union City, Pa., and comprised a membership of twenty-two, including flute, guitars and mandolins. The band club was led by A. E. Mills of Manchester, and comprised a membership of eleven. It was one of the most entertaining musical events held here for a long period. This evening the club will give a joint concert with the Phillips Andover clubs at the Andover, Mass., town hall. A special train will leave here this afternoon at 3 o'clock for Andover and will return at 11 p. m., to take the students to and from the event.

Ill health has compelled the scheduled speaker for next Sunday evening at the Academy chapel, Rev. G. W. Hinkley, president of Good Will farm at Hinkley, Me., to take a trip to the Bermudas. In his stead has been secured Mr. Lewis W. Dunn of Concord, state secretary, Y. M. C. A. The public is cordially invited.

Next Monday evening at the regular meeting of the grange, Post Sisters from Alaska will be present and give their unique entertainment. At the last meeting on March 7 the attendance was 107. An excellent program was presented, including a discussion of the articles in the town warrant, with Mr. E. H. Richards as moderator.

Miss Ellen L. Wentworth and Miss Nora B. Hatch, who have spent the past two years abroad, have engaged their homeward passage and will sail August 16 from Liverpool on the Boston bound Cunard steamship Ivernia.

The school board sessions at the selectmen's room, town hall, for the purpose of correcting the check list for the annual school meeting, are announced for Saturday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at two p. m. each day.

As usual during Holy week the first and Phillips churches will have noon services as follows: Tuesday at 4 at Phillips church, Wednesday at 4 at the first church, Thursday at 4, communion service, at Phillips church, and Friday at 7.30 at the first church.

Last week the United States patent office granted a patent to the French Uppinger Hanger company, assignee of Dennis T. French of Exeter, for Uppinger.

Mrs. Sewell L. Day is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Leila Swasey Smith, at Brookline, Mass.

The East Side Current Events club will meet with Miss Spring Monday evening, March 21.

A recent Hollywood, Cal. Sentinel notes the visit there of Mr. John W. Planders, of Boston, formerly of Brentwood. Mr. Planders has ready interest in Hollywood.

The Thursday club had as guests Thursday the first parish club and a delightful hour was spent with Mrs. Harry E. Cutler, of Cambridge, listening to her story telling. Mrs. Cutler tells her stories with naturalness and grace, and all were charmed with her personality. St. Patrick was remembered in the decorations and refreshments.

"Der Bibliothekar" which the Deutscher Verein of the Seminary will present on Saturday evening, April 16 is the German of "The Private Secretary" which is in William Gillette's repertoire. As a full synopsis of each scene will be given in English and as the play is full of action, one who is not familiar with German will

be able to follow the course of the play.

### THE MINSTREL SHOW

Second Night By Kittery Amateurs Kept up the Good Work

The second night of the minstrel performance at Kittery drew another large audience. The various numbers were heartily applauded and the production showed there had been much hard work in the preparation for it. Great credit is due Mr. Parker for his untiring efforts to make the affair a success. There was a very good audience last evening but not as large as the previous.

Special mention should be made of Miss Lovell, Mrs. Cross and Mr. Arthur Butler, who performed their parts very ably. The program was: Prelude, "Oh! You Mister Moon," Miss Peavey, and Masters Sprague and Hayford.

Introduction, "We're Here" Company Grand Ensemble, "Hail to the Minstrel Kings."

Introducing Lovell and Howe Part First

Song Carnival—"O Uncle Sam," "Someone's Waiting For Me," "You Will Always Be My One Best Girl," "Mary Gave Him the Merry It! Hail," "He's a College Boy," "Just Because I Love You," "Golden Feather," (Miss Gerry as Indian Maid) "Amo," "By the Light of the Silvery Moon," "Sponsoring Sunday Night," "How Do You Like Your Oysters, Haw! Raw!" "Honey When its Sunny," "I Wonder What They're Doing Up in Mars," Swell Coon Hil, "That's A Plenty,"

Ballad "You're Just the Boy for Me," Mrs. Clark

Coon Song, "Buzzin' Around" Miss Lovell

Bass Solo, "The Sea Birds Warning Cry," Mr. Jones

Novelty, "The Whistling Coon," Mrs. Zahn

Part Second

Introducing Cross and Butler Entrance Song, "Bye Bye," Miss Eva

Ballad, "I Wonder If You'll Meet Me," Mrs. Latts

Coon Shout, "Any Ice," Mrs. Cross

Popular Song, "We were Playmates on the Old Village Green," Mr. Sprague

Rag Time Stunt, "Come Right in Sit Right Down and Make Yourself at Home," Mr. Butler

Jubilee Song and Refrain, "Swing Dose Gates Ajar," Mrs. Bowker and Plantation Quartette.

Song and Dance, "The Cubanola Glide," "The Cakewalk Clowns Finale," "Yankee-Dixie Coons,"

The Olio consisted of the following: Mr. Charles Snyder, "A Bunch of Fire Crackers,"

Pickaninny Violinist Master Harold Chick.

Humoristies by the Only Butler. Dainty Nigergesque, by Miss Peavey

Sidewalk Soliquy, Curtis and Lovell. Mr. Andrews, as Hairy-Lipp Parady

Concluded with the New Burlesque "Under the Kittery Arc Lights," by Howe and Jones.

Following the entertainment Friday evening dancing was enjoyed, music being furnished by Hoyt and Parker's orchestra. The following was the order of dances: Two Step Waltz

Schottische, Two Step Cotillion Waltz, Portland Fancy, Waltz, Barn Dance, Two Step Waltz.

The entertainment was in charge of the following:

General Manager, Mrs. C. S. Chick. Assistant General Manager, Mrs. L. Williams.

Stage Manager Mr. Samuel E. Caswell.

Treasurer, Mrs. Calvin Hayes. Secretary, Mrs. Ira Keene.

Managing Director and Accompanist, Mr. Ralph S. Parker.

The chorus number forty. Those having special work were:

Circles—Mrs. Bowker, Mr. Sprague. Mrs. Latts, Mr. Colliton, Mrs. Clark

Miss Abrams, Mr. Philbrick, Mrs. Seavards, Mr. Berry, Mrs. Zahn.

Cakewalk Clowns Miss Donnell Miss Glidden.

Interlocutor, Mr. Clarence S. Chick. Pages, Master Sprague, Miss Peavey, Master Hayford.

Tambos, Mr. Hatch, Mrs. Curtis Mr. Jones.

Dones Mrs. Smart, Mr. Jones, Mrs. Caswell.

### THE WATER FRONT

Port of Portsmouth, March 19 Latest Arrivals.

Tug Georges Creek, McLeod, Baltimore, towing barge No. 16, with 1600 tons of coal to the Consolidation Coal company.

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## THE TARIFF WAR WILL HURT BUSINESS

St. John, N. B., March 19.—If the United States decides to impose the maximum tariff on Canadian imports business in both countries will suffer. Into opinion of shippers and manufacturers. While a tariff war would not seriously injure the lumber trade at St. John because of a large part of the lumber manufactured here is cut in Maine and consequently reshipped free of duty, the enforcement of the maximum schedule would practically stop all shipments of pulp from New Brunswick. George M. Keyes of Pepperell, Mass., one of the owners of the pulp mills at Chatham, said that if the maximum duty on pulp, \$11 a ton, were exacted the plant would be shut down. In his opinion every American manufacturer of pulp in Canada would be obliged to purchase supplies in European countries. If they expected to keep their mills running.

Mr. Keyes came here from Massachusetts this week because of the threatened tariff war. He said other Americans have ordered all pulp stored in their warehouses to be shipped

across the line immediately. Mr. Keyes expects to go to Washington and with others bring pressure to bear on the government in an effort to avoid the imposition of the maximum rates.

The New Brunswick legislature last night discussed the pulp-wood situation and adopted a resolution unanimously expressing the view that all pulp-wood and wood for pulp making purposes cut on the crown lands of New Brunswick should be manufactured into paper within the province.

New Brunswick exports of lumber to the United States amounts to \$2,500,000 annually, the pulp-wood shipments to \$125,000 and pulp to \$700,000. Last year St. John shipped \$71,000 worth of tea, \$200,000 in hides and \$10,000 in potatoes.

Rev. E. C. E. Dorion of Plymouth, one of the best known Methodist preachers in New Hampshire, has been elected assistant editor of the Portsmouth Herald, published in Chicago, the official organ of the young people's societies in the denomination.

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## CONGER AGAIN SCORES ALLODS

Parting Shot as Bribery Investigation Closes

### LETTER PRAISING VIRTUES

Says He Wrote It Because He Had to Keep on Good Terms With Accused Man, Who Could Always Be Relied on "to Do What He Had Been Paid to Do"—Talk of Broader Investigation Discussed at Albany.

Albany, March 19.—All the testimony in the Conger-Allds bribery scandal has been presented. The question of the innocence or guilt of Senator Allds will be determined by the senate March 29. Next Tuesday is to be given to the defense to summing up, and Wednesday for the prosecution.

Senator Conger had a swift parting shot at Allds just before the final testimony was put in. He was called for re-direct examination concerning the letter he wrote Allds after the payment of the alleged bribe, expressing great admiration for Allds and extolling him for his virtues. He said he wrote the letter, not through any respect for Allds, but to remain on friendly terms.

"I had to keep on good terms with him because you could never tell what he would be up to."

He explained with much irony that another part of his letter which read that Allds could be relied on meant that he could always be relied on "to do what he had been paid to do."

As indifferent as if he were in his own home, Conger sat in the witness chair for fifteen minutes yesterday afternoon, and during a relentless cross-examination by Lewis B. Carr repeated many of his remarkable utterances of six weeks ago, showing by his determined manner that he is willing to make any personal sacrifice if he can sustain his accusations against his colleague.

His new remarks about the alleged "Black Horse" days of 1861 recalled the statement made by him on the day the charges were made public, back in January. He stirred curiosity and caused a sensation in Albany by saying that the "little matter between Allds and me was a mere flea bite compared with other things going on in Albany at that time."

Talk of a broader investigation for the purpose of throwing light on the entire record of the legislature from 1861 to the present, is eagerly discussed in official Albany, following the announcement of Senator Newcomb that he would demand one. Senator Cobb, leader of the senate, said that 1901 to the present is eagerly considered will be given to another investigation.

### COSTUMES WERE "SEEMLY"

Girl Tells Court That Governor's Staff Witnessed Salome Dance

Boston, March 19.—Miss Jeanne Peletreau, a French dancer, whose trial for an alleged unlawful exhibition came up in the superior criminal court, declared in her own defense that she had given the "Salome" dance before members of the governor's staff at the Hotel Somerset.

She maintains that her costumes were entirely seemly on that occasion and during other occasions when her services were secured.

The case was given to the jury, and after being out some hours without returning a verdict, it was announced that their decision would be sealed and presented on Monday. The young woman was returned to jail to await the result of their finding.

### IS PUT ON PROBATION

Slayer of Boy Swears He Did Not Intend to Kill

Cambridge, Mass., March 19.—Gabriel Goharian, the Armenian farm hand who struck James O'Brien on the head in his home in Watertown, resulting in the young man's death, and was indicted by the Middlesex county grand jury on the charge of manslaughter, was released on probation by Judge Stevens.

Goharian, his hand on his heart, made a dramatic plea before the judge in the Middlesex county superior criminal court. "Before God I never intended to kill that boy," he cried. "Have mercy on me, judge."

### Boni Loses Court Fight

Paris, March 19.—Count Boni de Castellane and one of his creditors, M. Lepere, lost their fight in the court of appeals to have the furniture in the houses of the Duchess of Talleyrand (Anna Gould) declared the property of Boni, her former husband.

Rasmussen to Study Eskimos.—Copenhagen, March 19.—Knut Rasmussen, the Danish explorer, is preparing a new ethnographical expedition to Arctic regions. Its chief aim will be to study the Eskimo population.

Cholera in St. Petersburg.—St. Petersburg, March 19.—Cholera bacteria has been found again in the city water supply. Eight suspects have been placed in the hospital.

## POOR QUALITY OF EDIBLES

Charge of Bellevue Hospital Internes and Nurses

New York, March 19.—The large corps of internes and about 100 nurses at Bellevue hospital threaten to leave that institution because of the poor food they charge is served to them.

After several recent indignation meetings a committee was appointed to bring the matter before Mayor Gaynor. Goat's meat, in the guise of mutton, stale vegetables and staler fish are some of the things to which the doctors say they object.

The present illness of several of the resident physicians at the hospital is credited to the poor food.

Mayor Gaynor will be asked by a committee of the internes to dine with them at noon some day during next week. They are willing to guarantee that he will be sick for a week and unable to digest anything for two more.

"We have no designs on the mayor's life," said one of the internes, "but of course we know that his existence will be endangered. We will all be ready with first aid to the injured principles if he accepts. We will also have the operating room ready to receive him."

### THE PHILADELPHIA STRIKE

Conferences by Intermediaries Fail to Bring About Desired Results

Philadelphia, March 19.—Although several conferences were held last night and during the day by the intermediaries interested in securing a settlement of the strike against the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company, the officials of the company and the leaders of the strikers appear to be as far from reaching an agreement as when the men left the cars almost a month ago.

W. D. Mahon, president of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees, issued a statement last night in which he said that the idea that the men would be satisfied if the company reinstated the 173 discharged employees whose dismissal precipitated the strike, was a misconception.

### PART OF STANDARD. DECLARES HISGEN

He Is to See Taft Concerning a Texas Oil Company

Springfield, Mass., March 19.—Thomas L. Hisgen of the Four Brothers Oil company and former candidate of the Independence party for President of the United States, is going to see President Taft about his suit to prove that the Texas company which supplies oil to the United States army here is part of the Standard Oil company.

Hisgen has retained Frank B. Kellogg, who was lawyer for the government in its suit against the Standard, to prosecute this suit against the Texas company. Special counsel for the state of Mississippi, where a suit against the Standard is pending, has written Hisgen telling him the Texas concern is part of the Standard.

### SAYS THERE IS NO TRUST

Packer Takes Dramatic Oath Before Senate Probe Committee

Washington, March 19.—"So help me God, there is no trust or combination of packers controlling the prices of meat."

This was the dramatic testimony given by James Agar, president of the Western Packing and Provision company of Chicago, before the senate committee investigating the cost of living.

In reply to a question from Senator Gallinger, Agar branded the beef trust as "a figment of the newspaper imagination." He attributed the rise in prices principally to reduced supply, especially in regard to hogs.

### SURROGATE DISSATISFIED

Calls For Reappraisal of the Caroline Astor Estate

New York, March 19.—A new appraisal of the estate of the late Mrs. Caroline W. Astor, for many years leader of the "400," has been ordered by the appellate division of the supreme court. Mrs. Astor died in 1908. A previous appraisal valued the estate at \$1,631,286 net.

The surrogate refused to accept this report, on the ground that experts had not been called in to pass on the paintings, tapestries, rugs, etc.

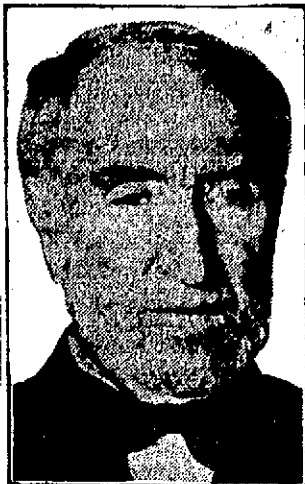
Jail For Violet Charlesworth.—London, March 19.—Violet Charlesworth, whose wholesale frauds and victimizing of business men startled all England, must serve her sentence of three years in prison with her mother, Mrs. Marion Charlesworth. The court of criminal appeal dismissed their appeals.

Fifty Fishermen Drift to Death.—St. Petersburg, March 19.—Trapped on an ice floe, fifty fishermen were carried away to certain death from the mouth of the river Neva.

Five Hundred Houses Burn.—Yokohama, March 19.—Five hundred Japanese houses were destroyed by fire here. Seven lives were lost in the conflagration.

## SPEAKER CANNON

Grim Old Warrior Is Fighting to the End



## CANNON DOWN, ALMOST OUT

He Fights the House, With Doom Still Impending

### "REGULARS" FACE DEFEAT

Democrats and Republican Insurgents Appear Determined to End Uncle Joe's Rule For All Time—Majority of Thirteen Claimed For Them in Support of Resolution Which Will Depose Old Warrior as Speaker

Washington, March 19.—"Uncle Joe" Cannon, the speaker of the house, the czar of congress, and the strongest and most truculent figure in American politics today, is down.

The fight to keep control of the almost limitless powers of dictatorship as speaker on the committee on rules is already lost, and further, his enemies arrayed in the lower branch of congress have enough votes now to not only bar him from the committee but to depose him as speaker.

The matter of ousting him entirely was seriously considered more than once yesterday afternoon. The Democrats will vote with the "insurgents," and their combined strength is 201, while the total of the "regular" Republicans is 188, leaving the enemy a majority of 13.

A lull, not a truce, was declared in the greatest parliamentary struggle in the history of the congress of the United States at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after being in session two days and an entire night, and while fourteen of the insurgents voted with the regulars for an adjournment until noon today, the result conveys no significance and means anything other than that they have relented their determination to end Cannonism for all time.

Numerous conferences were held between the leaders of the rival camps looking to some sort of adjustment, but none resulted.

The Norris amendment cutting off Cannon's powers will come up at noon, and it will be the verse of Uncle Joe's swan song. In face of this prospect of defeat Cannon is fighting and will not admit he is whipped or will be.

Champ Clark is talked of as a possible successor to Cannon. The house, for the first time in the present session, had almost full membership on the floor. When the speaker's gavel fell the members rose warily from their seats and fled out through the littered aisles and in five minutes the scene of the record-breaking endurance struggle was cleared of its 400 principals and the galleries were emptied of the hundreds of spectators who had occupied them constantly for nearly thirty hours.

Speaker Cannon looked as fresh as a peony, considering the lax on his strength during his all-night vigil. He showed little of the weariness naturally expected from a 74-year-old man who had been under such a strain.

What the outcome will be no one ventures accurately to predict. The "insurgents" confidently claim that when the final vote is taken on the Norris resolution, their total vote will be 33, which combined with the full Democratic vote would be more than a safe majority of the house. The Democratic leaders, so far, have held their forces strictly in hand, and have on every vote polled their full strength.

The regulars' mood is a waiting one. If the "insurgents" win the fight they say that upon the "allies" will devolve the responsibility of legislation. The particular obstruction in the pathway of agreement between the regulars and the insurgents is the proposed elimination of the speaker. The regulars say the speaker, having committed no wrong, should not be disgraced. Some friends of the speaker contend that if the house overrules him today he will "welcome" defeat from the committee. The speaker himself is silent.

## IN MIDNIGHT CEREMONY

Millionaire Was Married, but Has No Recollection of It

St. Louis, March 19.—Pleading that his "sub conscious self" was in control and that his real self was unaware of his act, Charles R. Drummond, member of a St. Louis millionaire family, declared on oath that he had no remembrance of his second marriage, which took place at Clayton Jan. 25, 1910, just four weeks after his first wife had obtained a divorce there.

Charlotte J. Bente, a preacher's daughter, was the bride in the midnight ceremony of which Drummond declares he has no recollection.

Drummond's statement was made in his testimony against his first wife, whom he accused of contempt of court in refusing to permit him to visit their three children.

"I was under this sub conscious control from the morning of Jan. 23 till Jan. 27," he testified.

Drummond's attorneys announce that several alienists will be called to testify to the plausibility of their client's plea.

## TO HELP CHECK REVOLT

Yankee Cruiser Ordered to Liberia at Request of Her Government

Washington, March 19.—The United States cruiser Birmingham, Captain Fletcher, has been ordered to Monrovia, Liberia, on the northwest coast of Africa.

This action was taken upon the urgent request of the government of Liberia, which has represented to the state department that it is powerless to hold in check the tribes now in revolt against it.

It appears that the Greboes, a powerful people inhabiting the adjoining French territory to the southeast of Liberia, have rebelled against the Liberian government, and are besieging the town of Harper, at Cape Palmas, where there are considerable American missionary interests.

The object of the insurrection seems to be to force the Liberian government to purchase peace.

## COMMENT OF WIDOW ON HUSBAND'S DEATH

"Good Enough For Him," According to Irene Le Blanc

Cambridge, Mass., March 19.—Mrs. Lillian M. Glover declared two days after her husband, Clarence F. Glover, was murdered, that if Hattie Le Blanc killed him it was good enough for him, but if some other person killed him it was still better, according to the sworn statement of Irene Le Blanc in the will contest in court here.

Irene Le Blanc said that she was at the Glover house on Monday following the Saturday Glover was shot when his body was brought home. She said that Mrs. Glover went into the room and shut her eyes, refusing to look at the face of the dead man. The girl swore that Mrs. Glover laughed.

## THE SOUTH WANTS BABIES

New York to Ship Second Consignment of Parentless Little Ones

New York, March 19.—To satisfy an unusually active demand for babies, centering chiefly around New Orleans and southern Louisiana towns, the New York Foundling and Orphan asylum sent out a cargo of parentless babies in answer to letters from parents in comfortable but childless homes.

Since then the quality of the home-brighteners sent out has proved of such a high order that the institution has been swamped with letters asking for babies, and is getting ready a second consignment.

## BASS FOR GOVERNOR

Chosen by Progressive Republicans of the Granite State

Concord, N. H., March 19.—The progressive Republican candidate for governor of New Hampshire will be Robert P. Bass of Portsmouth, according to a statement given out by that party at the conclusion of the convention in this city.

The progressive Republicans form the so-called insurgent wing of the Republican party. Winston Churchill, the novelist, has been prominently identified with the progressive party.

Leather Workers to Strike.—Chicago, March 19.—A general strike, involving 103 cities and about 4000 men, has been ordered by the International Brotherhood of Leather Workers on horse goods. The strike will go into effect on Monday. The demands are for increased wages and an eight-hour day.

Torches to Help Catch Speeders.—Belleville, N. J., March 19.—Police of the town are to have electric torches to take numbers of autos going too fast. The chief of police explains that it is impossible to get the numbers without lights.

Cattle at Hundred Dollars a Head.—Fort Worth, Tex., March 19.—One hundred dollars per head was paid here for a herd of 450 Oklahoma fed beef cattle. This is said to be the highest price for this class of cattle ever paid in the United States.

## TRUE BILLS ARE RETURNED

Coleman and Lockhart Are Under Indictment

### LARGE NUMBER OF COUNTS

False Entries and Misappropriation of Funds Charged Against Former Bookkeeper of Cambridge Bank, While His Companion Is Accused of Aiding and Abetting—"Faro Gang" Evidence Not Considered

Boston, March 19.—The federal grand jury reported to Judge Lowell in the United States district court two indictments each against George W. Coleman, former bookkeeper of the National City bank of Cambridge, and Wilson W. Lockhart, who acted as Coleman's assistant and messenger.

Two secret indictments were also returned by the grand jury. United States marshals were sent out to look for the indicted men, whose names were not made public.

Two indictments were returned against each man. Both Coleman and Lockhart are charged in the first indictment with making false entries in the books of the National Banking association, to which the National City bank belonged. Coleman in a second indictment is charged with misappropriation of the funds of the bank. Lockhart in a second indictment is charged with aiding and abetting in this misappropriation.

There are more than fifty counts in the two indictments against Coleman and about a dozen counts against Lockhart.

"There was no evidence of any kind introduced before the grand jury in connection with these cases against the so-called 'faro gang,'" said United States District Attorney French in discussing the indictment of the two men. "Both men will probably be arraigned next week on these indictments."

Both men were arrested some time ago and released under bail pending action by the grand jury. Coleman's present bail is \$50,000 and Lockhart's \$15,000. Both men will now be brought into court, asked to plead to the indictments and then new bail set. If they are unable to furnish it they will be sent to jail.

The chief evidence against Coleman introduced to the grand jury was Coleman's confession made to District Attorney French and in three hours had completely gone over his entire history. It was thought that in his confession Coleman exonerated Lockhart from all blame, and the indictment of the companion of Coleman came as a surprise.

## COLLOQUY WITH ELKINS

Feature of Last Day's Long Talk of Cummins in the Senate

Washington, March 19.—After holding the floor for four days, Senator Cummins completed his speech in opposition to the administration railroad bill and the senate adjourned until Monday.

Mr. Cummins engaged in a colloquy with Senator Elkins, during which he declared: "I want to prevent competing lines from consolidating."

"That is what we all want," responded Elkins. "I am glad to see that the senator from Iowa is bringing himself into substantial accord with his committee."

"You mean that the committee is being driven gradually to accept my position," retorted Cummins.

## BUTTERINE PLANT RAIDED

President, Secretary, Chemist and Seventeen Others Arrested

New York, March 19.—Revenue agents raided the Hudson Butterine company's plant in Hoboken. It is charged that the company, which makes 5000 pounds of butterine a day, has defrauded the government by shipping the colored product as uncolored.

Seventeen employees had been arrested when the chemist, Adam Tinbaum, arrived. On him was found a quantity of coloring matter. F. G. Pearson, president, and H. J. Brown, secretary, were also arrested.

## RIGHT WAY TO CHEW

Movement Formally Launched to Instruct Children in "Lost Art"

Cleveland, March 19.—Relieving that proper mastication of food has become a lost art, members of the National Dental society, in a meeting here, launched a country-wide movement to teach the children of the public schools how to chew.

The plan is to have each child's mouth examined, teeth treated if necessary and instructions given in the proper manner of using the jaws.

Another Harmon Reform.—Columbus, O., March 19.—Governor Harmon sent a special message to the legislature recommending a law against lobbying. He recommends a law be passed licensing those who appear before the general assembly with regard to legislation with a provision for forfeiture of this right for misconduct.

## MANY SIX-FIGURE BIDS

Otto Kahn Obtains Possession of Hals Painting For \$500,000

New York, March 19.—Half a million dollars, the record high price for a painting, was paid by Otto Kahn, the banker, for the celebrated canvas of Frans Hals, "The Dutch painter and his family, painted by himself."

Two years before the artist died he was voted a pension of three loads of meat by the city of Haarlem to replenish the fireless hearth in the painter's home, as Hals was then too poor to buy fuel.

Kahn, in purchasing the famous group painting, outbid J. P. Morgan, who offered between \$350,000 and \$400,000. Other bids ranging well into six figures have been made in the few weeks that the painting has been known to be on sale.

Duven Bros., from whom the painting was bought, imported the canvas a few weeks ago from England, where frantic efforts were made to keep it, but the dealers believed that they could get more in the United States.

## "MADE IN NEW ENGLAND"

New Mark Being Considered by Boston Chamber of Commerce

Boston, March 19.—The Boston chamber of commerce is considering the advisability of stamping on all New England made goods the motto, "Made in New England," as an effective means of advertising the commercial advantages of New England.

This activity on the part of the chamber of commerce follows a speech by Erman J. Ridgway in Boston a short time ago. Ridgway said: "Stamp a 'Made in New England' mark on every article that leaves your mill. Paint it on your shipping cases. Paste it on your packages. Plaster the country with it. Make it your slogan, and back it with such merit that 'Made in New England' will be a synonym for made right, distributed right and sold right."

## STORY AGREES WITH ACCOUNT IN BIBLE

Tablet Telling of the Deluge Excavated at Nippur

Philadelphia, March 19.—The discovery of a fragment of a cuneiform tablet, believed to be of the period 2100 B. C., bearing an account of the deluge described in the Bible and agreeing with the narrative in Genesis, was reported here by Professor H. V. Hilprecht at a gathering of friends of the university of Pennsylvania at the home of Provost Harrison.

This fragment, which has just been deciphered, was one of those excavated from the lowest strata of the oldest part of the ruins of the Temple Library of Nippur, and was brought to this city by four expeditionary sent out by the university of Pennsylvania in 1899. It is of unburned clay and measures 3-4 inches at its greatest width, and 2-3 inches at its greatest length.

## INJUNCTION FOR PAULHAN

Cleary Asks That French Aviator Be Kept in State of New York

New York, March 19.—A motion supplemental to that made a few days ago to enjoin the removal of Louis Paulhan's flying machines was made yesterday in the supreme court, wherein it was sought to have the aviator personally enjoined from leaving the jurisdiction of the state of New York.

Counsel for Edwin Cleary, Paulhan's erstwhile manager, who alleges that Paulhan broke his contract, leaving him minus \$82,000, made the application. Further argument will be heard.

## WAGE INCREASE GRANTED

Other Concessions to Switchmen by Illinois State Board of Arbitration

Chicago, March 19.—An increase in wages of 2 cents an hour, allowance of time and a half for all overtime and a hearing within three days when threatened with dismissal, were granted the switchmen in the railroad yards of Chicago by the Illinois state board of arbitration.

About 4000 members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen are affected.

Two Negroes Lynched.—Marion, Ark., March 19.—Bob Austin and Charles Richardson, negroes, were lynched in the courthouse square by a mob of 300 men. The victims were charged with aiding and abetting a jail delivery here.

## Senator Daniel No Better

Daytona, Fla., March 19.—United States Senator John W. Daniel of Virginia is still unable to recognize any of those about him. The doctors consider his condition almost hopeless.

## The Weather

Almanac, Sunday, March 20. Sun rises—6:58; sets—6:03. Moon sets—4:26 a. m. High water—6:45 a. m.; 7:45 p. m. Forecast for New England: Fair and warmer; light south and south-west winds.

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## SMOKED OUT

Senator Chandler's recent letter to the Republicans of New Hampshire appears to have had the desired effect of smoking out the "radicals" and making them show their hand.

Our news columns give an interesting story.

## THE RETURN

The return of the sons and daughters of Portsmouth to the delightful old home city, is an occasion which far antedates the now more widely known "old home week." Governor Rollins did one of the best things of any New Hampshire chief executive's work when he took that old idea and shaped it to fit widespread modern conditions.

Portsmouth does well to revive the day in the form that has been found so well adapted to our local conditions.

Let them come home and mingle with the people who have stayed at home and the people who have come to the city.

The experience will do good both to the visitors and the citizens and be a most enjoyable occasion.

Let them come. Encourage them to come. Have the band playing and the flags waving for their welcome.

Let them renew their youth in the scenes of their youth and let young Portsmouth people learn from them.

And we will all have one rousing good time.

## BIRDEYE VIEWS

In the municipal court of Norway, Me., a man was recently fined \$5 and costs for selling a barrel of alleged No. 1 apples which were in reality No. 2 quality. He appealed and the case was settled in the Oxford county supreme court a few days by the man paying the fine and costs of two courts, the costs being taxed at \$22.05.

"Men who make corners in raw materials in men, life and labor are no longer sent to prison, but they can not reasonably expect to be welcomed by the people who have suffered through their operations." So says the Manchester Guardian, in commenting on the mobbing which James A. Patten, the Chicago plunger, received in that big British manufacturing town. The critics who are saying that the people of American cities are more insolent than those of Europe are requested to take notice of the Manchester incident, and to consider whether except in degree, it differed from a lynching bee.

The news agencies are telling that Mr. Nevil O. Winter of Toledo, Ohio, who has just returned from a trip to South America reports that he saw much, at that end of the continent, of one "F. Craig," otherwise Dr. Frederick A. Cook. "He seems," says Mr. Winter, "just a modest, unassuming American," and when confronted with the charge that he was the Arctic explorer "calmly" replied that he had nothing to say, neither admitting nor denying his identity. Apparently Dr. Cook has recovered from his excessive nervousness, and is once more his normal self. It will be remembered that the impression he made at Copenhagen, on his return

from the far North,—that is, the pretty far North—was one of unobtrusive and unassuming tastes; and yet along with this modest demeanor went a call for a discoverer that clashed sharply with such an attitude. The contrasts and inconsistencies of human nature have seldom, perhaps, been better exhibited.

## AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

Deneen of Illinois

Governor Deneen has failed completely with the legislature of Illinois, which he called in special session to pass certain measures of reform. That boss-directed and rather shameless body has adjourned without passing one of the reform measures recommended by the governor.

But Deneen cannot put all the blame on the legislature. Primarily, it is his own character that is responsible for what now is patently the failure of his administration. Deneen is incurably a politician, a small politician.

Deneen had his chance. The people elected him to give him the chance. He might have been the Hughes of his state. But this winter as upon all occasions before, he could not rise to the conception that the people, not the politicians, are the reservoir of power which if he had confidently tapped would have supplied energy to overwhelm every petty dam the beaverlike politicians industriously interposed.

This winter's session of the Illinois legislature confirms the failure of Deneen. His measure has been taken, and it is not the measure of a people's leader, or the intelligent courageous invincible, righteous administrator whom the middle west awaits.

It is too bad. He might easily have overturned the rotten system of bipartisan bossism which rules Illinois. And, having placed Illinois upon the map of reform and popular government along with New York, Missouri, Indiana, Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota, he could not forget the politicians intrigued with them, conciliated them, planned a personal machine. He has carried water on both shoulders, hunted with the hounds and run with the hare, been that anomaly and impossibility, a low politician and reforming statesman. Politically he is in the discard now.

## THE SLUM LASSIE

Of pious mien and glance so meek,  
Unhindered she comes;  
Distress and suffering to seek  
Among the poor, the helpless, weak,  
Behold the Lassie of the Slums!

In sickness and in want she finds  
Her Master's work to do,  
And though in squalor oft, unminds  
The task, since doing it she blands  
Her gentle Master's wounds anew.

She does her work in cheerfulness  
And in a quiet way;  
All-unassuming, see her press  
Her services upon distress,  
Without a thought of pay!

The gift of bigotry can not  
Discourage, or deter;  
Her Master's trials, untorgot,  
More cheerfully endear the lot  
Falls willingly to her.

If there is sickness, she can nurse,  
Because she thinks of Him;  
If destitution, though her purse  
Be light, she somehow can disburse  
What's needful, when all hopes grow dim.

The sick or weary mother learns  
The worth of such a friend,  
Whose Christian heart so kindly  
Years  
To help, to comfort; who concerns  
Herself where horrors e'er attend.

The ailing or the hungry child  
Soon learns to love the one  
Who soothes its pain with touch so  
mild,  
Allays the pang of hunger wild,  
And prays that all its griefs be  
gone.

Broad her religion is; nor creed,  
Nor race, nor color, makes  
The slightest difference, indeed,  
That they are of the human breed,  
Is all she cares to know and takes.

Exception e'en to none. The good  
She does among the poor  
Is little known or understood,  
Except within the neighborhood  
Of ill and poverty obscure.

She should, if rightly named, be  
known,  
As Angel of the Slums,  
Because a heavenly ozone  
Is felt wherever her face is shown  
Among the poor, to whom she  
comes.

She trusts to no reward while here,  
Her hopes are fixed above,  
In worlds beyond the solar sphere  
Where those hopes center, near  
The argent Throne where all is  
Love.

—J. E. Moore.

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Read the Herald

## A TIMELY TOPIC.

HON. JAMES LOGAN  
Mayor of Worcester

## Carelessness

## of Citizenship

IN industry we have been passing through what might be called a great ethical revival and the air is clearer. There are thousands of men in this country today who would not do the things they would have done without a question five years ago. Why? Because of the fear of being caught? No, not in thousands of cases, but because the moral conscience has been awakened, the lines between honesty and dishonesty have been resurveyed, the underbrush of pernicious business practice has been cut away; new bounds have been set, and some men see truth and duty with a clearer vision. I am optimistic enough to believe that this awakened public conscience, is extending to the political life of our cities and that conditions are to improve, but this won't be brought about by writing essays on uplifting the masses. James Bryce, the British statesman, at the present time ambassador at Washington, has said in his book, "The American Commonwealth," "There is no denying the fact that the government of its cities is the most conspicuous failure in the United States." And the reason for it is because we make the government of our cities political rather than one of business.

Practically the only danger to this country is from within, and that danger has its great opportunity in the fact that so many American citizens delegate their political duties to other men. The ring, the interests, all have their origin in the failure of a great body of American citizens to take an active part in the political life of the country.

Good citizenship consists in more than simply voting; that is no more citizenship than going to church is being a good Christian. Good citizenship means to take an active interest in all those measures which make for the uplift of the country in which you live, and which you profess to love, and to not only take an interest, but to take a part, and a large part, in the affairs of the town or city which you call home.

If we have extravagant, inefficient or bad government, either in town, city or state, we have no one to blame for it but ourselves. We will have as good government as we deserve. If things go to this bad, it will be because we were unworthy of our trust and did not do our part.

## THE OBSERVER.

### WHEN THE STARS ARE OLD

When the stars are old and ashen and gray  
And the last sun darkens and withers away,  
When the dead moon falls like a leaf  
From its tree  
And the last lone plant of motion is free  
(O Love, lean over me still!)

When the earth and heaven and uttermost star  
Are at one with Death at some ultimate bar,  
Oh, I know not then if woman and man  
Lay low as they loved ere the ruin began,  
(O Love, lean over me still!)

But if men love women beyond all the last  
And the ultimate End into which they are cast,  
Then I know some ghost of my Ghost  
Through the gray  
And inebriate wastes will battle its way—  
Oh, I know, some ghost of my Ghost  
Through the Night  
So you in the end will struggle and fight!  
—Arthur Stringer in Hampton's Magazine.

Clerk—This is an improved skate  
hat can be put on in three seconds.  
Customer—But I wish a pair for my  
est girl.—Judge.

The eating of raw apples as a cure for the drink habit was confidently recommended by Dr. Samuel Bailey at the recent state convention of Iowa horticulturists at Des Moines. He told us delegates that eating apples will not only abate the appetite for liquor, but will cure the most confirmed drunkard. If the drunkard eats enough of them, the doctor did not put forward the apple cure as a theory, but as a fact demonstrated in many instances within his personal knowledge. He said furthermore that the appetite for tobacco is also limited by the eating of apples. Considering the evil consequences which the eating of an apple is said to have brought upon the human race it is pleasant to think that the popular fruit has the property of exercising an influence on the side of virtue. If apples will cure the drink habit they are the safest remedy that has ever been proposed. Moreover, they are ready to everybody's hand and easy to be tried. It should be a task of little difficulty to induce those who need the cure to try them. Many a man would eat an apple or a barrel of apples who would refuse to sign a pledge.

A Texas editor refuses to publish obituary notices of people who, while living, failed to subscribe for his paper and gives this pointed reason: "People who do not take their home papers are dead anyway and their passing away has no news value."

All the nickel pieces used in the United States are made from metal that reaches the Philadelphia mint in the form of "shot." These shot are manufactured by being dropped from a tower, just like lead shot. But they are not of the right composition. Even the purest lead will not make shot, unless mixed with a certain percentage of arsenic. Obviously, it is a matter of no importance, for coin-

of the effect the automobile craze has had upon the jewelry business, especially as respecting the demand for higher priced goods, such as diamonds. When it is considered that hundreds of millions of dollars are invested in automobiles one can have some conception of the enormous amount of money which during the past few years has been diverted to that luxury.

The enormous automobile advertising which is going on, has undoubtedly created this change. Rich men prefer using automobiles instead of precious stones for gifts.

March came in weeping; may it go out smiling.

The warm but unpleasant weather of the first of March started people talking of out of door pleasure. It will seem good when one can wander comfortably out of doors, as he pleases, and breathe in the warm, fresh air.

### THE WAY TO WIN.

"Strike" while the iron is heated,  
"Pause" and the iron is cold,  
If you strike too late on a hardened plate  
The weld will never hold.

"Seek" and success will follow;  
"Wait" and it passes by,  
Be quick to grasp, then hold it fast  
And, trust for a better try.

"Work" and the world works with you,  
"Loaf" and you loaf alone.  
This strenuous world's a continuous whirl;  
It offers no place for the drowsy.

—Mail Order Journal.

America, even if it were not for the circus, eats more peanuts than any other country in the world. We do not seem to be even able to supply our own demand, as during 1907 and 1908 Japan exported 17,000,000 pounds of peanuts and the major portion of them came to this country.

If the demand for summer cottages at the Rollins farm on the banks of the Piscataqua, in Newington, is any indication of the coming rush to that resort, there will certainly be a bunch of them digging for nine cents this year. A local carpenter tells me that with six cottages put up there last season and about a dozen more this year that Rollins will look like a small village by the middle of July. All aboard!

The candy trade in this country has grown by leaps and bounds in the last few years. Exact figures are not at hand, but it is estimated that the candy bill of the nation now exceeds \$100,000,000 annually. The purchasers include all kinds of people, from the children, who spend their pennies, to the adults, many of whom spend from 10 to 25 cents every day or every two or three days. Even most casual observation will show that the candy stores are seldom empty, and the number of places where it is sold is constantly on the increase.

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ing purposes, that the nickel shot be spherical. The mint merely finds it more convenient to buy the stuff in this shape, because it can the more easily be melted up with copper to form the nickel coins with which we are familiar.

The concrete coal shed fast nearing completion on the water front is certainly an imposing structure, both from the river and the street. The best view of the river and surrounding country can be had from the top of the new coal pocket, and those who have taken a peep from this building say the view is simply immense. Going up?

## WOMAN'S WORLD.

### FASHION HINTS.

Wool flowers and wings are new. Wedding rings are much smaller. Diagonal lines are now popular and smart.

New flowered tulle are beautiful. Suede gloves are very fashionable. Whole embroidery robes are lovely. The new mobairs are shown in checks, small plaids and figured stripes.

Yokes and undersleeves appear in practically every one of the new models.

All the new materials are rough; few broadcloths will be seen this spring.

One of the newest fashions is of "bebe" Irish lace on delicate white sticks.

Immense hairpins of tortoise shell, or small ones with curved tops, set with tiny brilliants, keep the hair in place.

A bright bow of velvet at the neck, either in contrast with or matching the suit and hat, will be worn this spring.

For evening, fewer jewels are seen, as the rich embroideries and spangles seem to be sufficiently brilliant by themselves.

Very pretty are the flowers of stiffened lace, or great roses of gold or silver gauze, which are often the only trimming of a hat.

### AN IRONING TRICK.

She was carefully covering a rolling pin with two thicknesses of flannel, when a friend joined her. Instantly he newcomer expressed surprise at her unusual operation.

"I don't wonder you smile," said the housewife, as she piled her needle, taking care that not a wrinkle destroyed the surface of the light-lining coverings of flannel. "Guess why I am doing this; manifestly the rolling pin is to serve some other purpose than the one for which it was originally intended."

"Now, you see, I am slipping this over of cotton cloth in place and tying it at either end. As I am sure you cannot guess the reason for all this, I'll enlighten you. I am getting ready to iron the cuffs on my shirtwaists without having them creased."

"I know some people can iron them satisfactorily without resorting to any such contrivance, but, for my part, I find it so much simpler to use a padded rolling pin that I always do it. Those who have followed my example say that they find it of the utmost convenience, too, so I think there must be some virtue in it," she concluded, as she tied the outer covering into place.

### CARE OF THE FEET.

Sufficient care is seldom given to those long tried faithful servants of ours, the feet. Not half the attention they require is given to them.

A frequent change of foot gear is advisable, both in the interests of the feet and the foot, and will help to keep both in good condition. If the foot is inclined to swell after long standing, frequent hot baths with sea salt dissolved in the water should be given, followed by a good rubbing with alcohol or bay rum. Dipping the feet night and morning in cold or warm water should never be omitted, and rubbing them daily with can do cologne, bay rum, or alcohol will keep them fit for any amount of walking.

### ONE WAY OUT

A Resident of Portsmouth Shows the Way

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## THE BOWLERS

Portsmouth Team is Defeated at Dover—Two Men League Matches at Arcade Alleys.

The bowling team from the Elks' alleys were defeated at Dover on Friday evening by the team representing that city. Fernald and Ham of the local team were off their game and could not get them breaking well. Renner was high man for the Elks' team and J. Kelley high man for the Dover team.

A return match will be played at the Elks' alleys in this city next Friday evening.

The score:

Dover.				
Wiggin	84	93	88	265
J. Kelley	97	100	98	295
Scott	90	82	94	266
T. Kelley	95	103	90	288
Newton	81	88	86	255

Totals 450 464 456 1370

Portsmouth.

Woods	8997	788	274
Young	97	83	103
Fernald	73	80	81
Ham	87	83	85
Renner	90	101	96

Totals 436 443 453 1332

Arche Alley.

In the two-man amateur league at the Arcade alleys on Friday evening, Lessor and Mowe defeated Oldfield and McWilliams, and Oldfield and McWilliams in a second game defeated Mitchell and Hett.

The scores:

Lessor	110	88	91	289
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Mowe	88	94	86	268
Oldfield	96	99	84	279
McWilliams	102	77	84	263

FIRST BASEBALL PRACTICE

The High School Candidates out for Spring Games.

There were about fifty candidates for the high school baseball team out for practice on Friday afternoon at the Plains. Two teams were made up and the first disposed of the second by a score of 16 to 1.

The team is being coached by Messrs. O'Brien, Bunker and Schunefeld all of the teaching staff.

The most probable make-up of the team is, Palmer, first base; R. Brackett, second; Bennett, short stop; Captain W. Brackett, third base; Jenkins, left field; Macdonald, center field; and A. Leavitt, right; pitcher, Hodgdon, Neal; catchers, Green and Garland.

The schedule for the season has been practically completed and a good number of games secured.

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Charles W. Greene.

MRS. ALICE EMMA EDMUNDS

Mrs. Alice Emma Edmunds died on Friday evening at her home on Deer street, after an illness of two weeks. She was a native of this city and 51 years of age. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Chisholm of Boston.

## EVENTS OF ELIOT

Special Happenings for the Church People

Latest Reports from Several of the Sick People

Eliot, Me., March 19.  
Ground will be broken on Monday for the new house for William O. Kennard on the Old River road.

It is announced that the annual county conference of the Advent Christian churches will be held in Biddeford next Thursday and it is expected that delegates will be in attendance from different sections of this county and a section of Cumberland county. The sessions will begin Thursday evening and continue until Sunday. Preparations for handling quite a number of visitors are under way at Biddeford and the program, which is to be of very general interest and importance in the work, will be announced early in the week.

Miss Emma A. Frye has returned to her work in the shoe factory at Portsmouth.

The district superintendent, Rev. D. H. Holt of Portland, conducts the last quarterly conference of the year at the East Eliot Methodist church this afternoon. From six to seven o'clock this evening a church supper will be served, to be followed by the annual roll call and presentation of reports. Special music will be a feature of the evening. On Sunday forenoon, the district superintendent will preach the sermon.

Mrs. Daniel Goodwin is laid up with pneumonia.

Fred T. Welch is able to get about the neighborhood, but is still in a feeble condition from his injuries.

The story goes that a certain South Eliot man was attacked by an indignant neighboring woman, and had a narrow escape from a terrific horse whipping, as a punishment for bringing liquor to her son.

Albert Spiney is on the sick list. Thomas Staples has been at home several days, from Boston, where he has been working.

Miss Lena F. Neal, teacher of the No. 6 school at East Eliot, is spending the vacation at her home in Lynn, Mass.

The high school seniors drama "Mr. Bob," is scheduled for March 24. Charles Huntress, Jr., is able to sit up a little.

Mrs. Oliver Athorne's condition is so much better that she is able to be up and dress herself.

Rev. Leroy Peirce from Massachusetts will preach in the Congregational church on Sunday.

## YORK BRIDGE INJUNCTION

Hearing This Week Before Judge Bird at Portland

Portland, March 19.—Another chapter in the famous litigation over the matter of the York bridge matter, details of which are familiar to readers, is in preparation in Portland, the matter of a hearing in the form of a bill in equity brought by Elizabeth B. Bliss of Washington against the selectmen of the town of York. Parties in the action also named are the

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county commissioners, the committee of four appointed to build the bridge, composed of Messrs. Simpson, Young, Wyer and Putnam, and the contractor, Edward B. Blaisdell, who had charge of the work. The bill asks that all these parties be enjoined from building and maintaining the bridge, it being claimed that the laying out and construction were generally irregular.

The bill has been up to the law court once on the defendant's demurrer, but the demurrer was overruled and now the matter comes back for a hearing on the defendant's answer. The bridge has been built and open for travel for about a year and a half, as is well known, the work being done before the bill was filed. The defendants claim that Mrs. Bliss was too late, and that even if the construction is not what it should have been in every particular, the bill ought not to have been brought after the bridge was completed. Chauncey Hackett of Washington, D. C., and Arthur E. Sewell of York appear for Mrs. Bliss. For the county commissioners the attorneys are Fred A. Hobbs, county attorney for York, and William S. Matthews of York, Hon. James O. Bradbury and George F. Haley of Saco appear for the selectmen, and the committee of four and Contractor Blaisdell are represented by John C. Stewart of York, Frank D. Marshall of this city and Judge Benjamin F. Cleaves of Biddeford.

The hearing began on Thursday. The testimony is being taken out before Justice Bird and he will send the matter up to the law court again. A part of the plaintiff's witnesses, including the engineers, one of the selectmen and George F. Plaisted, the town clerk, were examined at length. There was a big plan of the territory adjoining the bridge for the use of the witnesses and attorneys, and a number of photographs of the flats and other places in the vicinity were introduced. To one who knew nothing of the case the proceedings for the most part would be rather dull, but once in a while they were enlivened a bit. When Millard Sewall of York was being cross examined by John C. Stewart shortly before the close of the Thursday session, he was asked to tell something about a path that led over by the mill dam, so called. Mr. Stewart wanted to know where the path led to, and Mr. Sewall replied that after it reached a certain point it led anywhere, this wasn't quite definite enough and upon being pressed further the witness said that it would lead to California if one cared to go that distance.

Again he was asked if ever there was any objection to people going along a pathway. He said that there was not until nature made an objection by washing away the mill dam.

The evidence was all in Friday night and the arguments will be made at an appointed date in the near future.

### CITY BRIEFS

Mumps are quite prevalent. Portsmouth will have reason to be proud of its new band.

The Boston and Maine railroad are using every coal car on its system.

Portsmouth manufacturing firms report excellent work in the new foundry recently started.

Several mechanics from this city are employed on the alterations and improvements at Durham college.

Work will shortly begin adding more beauty to the grounds at the sanitarium on Maplewood avenue. A manufacturing company who are to build motor boat engines, have taken quarters in the building on Salter's wharf, formerly occupied by the Kearsarge shoe company. The company are to install machinery and start building engines in a very short time, and will employ a number of expert machinists.

### No Chance in History.

Muzzini said that he did not believe that chance existed in history. "A cause must necessarily underlie every event, although for the moment it may appear as the result of apparently accidental circumstances. An Alexander, a Caesar, a Napoleon, are not the results of accident, but the inevitable product of the time and nation from which they spring. It was not Caesar who destroyed the Roman republic. The republic was dead, before Caesar came. Sulla, Marius, Catiline, preceded and foreshadowed Caesar, but he, gifted with keener insight and greater genius, snatched the power from them and concentrated it in his own hands. For there was no doubt that he was fitter to rule than all the others put together. At the same time, supposing he had appeared 130 years earlier, he would not have succeeded in destroying the republic. When he came the life had already gone out of it, and even Caesar's death could not restore that."

### Nicely Graded.

It is still a tradition that the people of Manchester, England, should give at Liverpool with the proverb, "A Manchester man, a Liverpool gentleman," but, it is said, classification is not so strongly marked in Lancashire as in the old days. When stagecoaches were running a guard was once asked, "Who has the 'getton' inside, Billy?" Billy consulted his list and replied, "A gentleman from Liverpool, a man from Manchester, a chap from Owdham and a fellow from Wigan."

### Words of Different Size.

"Did they exchange words?" "Yes, but it wasn't an even exchange. One spoke in English and the other in Russian."—New York Press.

## CONSTRUCTOR TAWRESEY DETACHED

Washington, D. C., March 19.—Constructor John G. Tawresey, U. S. N., has been detached from the Portsmouth navy yard and ordered home to await orders. His successor has not been appointed as yet.

### DOWN CELLAR

Most people in Portsmouth and Kittery have cellars under their homes. They keep the coal and the potatoes and many other things in the cellar.

Where the man of the house lugs the coal as is usually the case, it means considerable carrying of a light down cellar. A man with a hod of coal swinging from one hand and with a kerosene lamp swaying in the other hand as he climbs the steep cellar stairs is risking both his property and his life to the possible terrors of the fire fiend. This is sure to be true in the winter, when most men are away from home during daylight.

If a frail woman is carrying the lamp the danger is still greater.

The danger and the inconvenience could both be avoided by having a button at the head of the stairs by which electric lights could be turned on and off.

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tier's—7:50, 8:50 a. m., 1:50 then  
hourly until 6:50 p. m.

Cars leave Whittier's for North Beach  
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and Portsmouth—7:40, 8:40 a. m.,  
1:40 then hourly until 6:40 p. m.  
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tier's connecting with cars for Ex-  
eter Newburyport and Haverhill—  
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ly until 7:05 p. m.

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# ROOSEVELT ITINERARY AS MAPPED OUT

## In for a Busy Trip Through Europe --To Arrive Home in June.

Aba Hamid, Sudan, March 19.—Col. Roosevelt and his party arrived Friday after a comfortable journey in a special car over the Sudan Government railway. Most of the trip thus far from Khartoum which was left at 9:00 Tuesday night was made in the night, but the early hours of today afforded a slight of a considerable stretch of the country. Colonel Roosevelt expressed himself as astonished at the luxury of railway traveling through a desert, and spoke of the railroad system as a monument to British enterprise in colonization which was able to conquer all difficulties.

Colonel Roosevelt's European Itinerary has been definitely determined upon with as much exactness of detail as it is possible to make in advance and was first announced today. The former President arrives in Rome on April 3, in Paris April 21, in Berlin May 8 and in London on the following 15 or 17. In several instances Colonel Roosevelt will arrive at one city on the same day that he leaves another, but counting each portion of the day as a whole day it may be said that he will spend a week in Paris, a week in Berlin, four days in Rome, three days each at Genoa, Vienna and Budapest; two days at Brussels, The Hague and Christiania and a day at Rotterdam, Hamburg, Copenhagen and Stockholm.

The special train bearing Colonel Roosevelt, Mrs. Roosevelt, Kermit and Miss Ethel and the others of their immediate party was due at Wady Halfa, 574 miles from Khartoum, Friday night.

Here a special steamer (the Isis, will be taken for Shellat. A visit will be made to Assouan and Luxor. At the latter place the train on the Sudan Government railway will be taken for

## The Sunday Services.

**People's Church**  
Preaching at 11 o'clock.  
Sunday school at 12.  
Christian Endeavor 7:30.  
Preaching 8.  
Rev. H. Perry, student Newton Seminary.

**Methodist Church**  
Rev. George W. Farmer, pastor.  
Preaching at 10:30, subject "Togeth-  
er."  
Sunday school at 12.  
Epworth League devotional meeting at 6:30.  
Evening song service and short ser-  
mon at 7:30; subject, "Hitherto."  
Junior League at 9:30 a. m.  
The session of the annual confer-  
ence will open March 30, at Tilton.

**Pearl Street Baptist Church.**  
Morning service at 10:15. The ques-  
tion to be answered by the pastor  
in his sermon next Sunday is "What  
is the Meaning of Yoke in Matthew  
11:29?"  
Men's Bible class at 11:30.  
Sunday school at 11:5.  
The subject of the pastor's sermon  
at the five o'clock service will be  
"Made Over."

**Unitarian Church.**  
Regular services at 10:30 a. m.  
Preaching by Rev. Alfred Gooding.  
Sunday school at chapel on Court  
street at noon.  
At the morning service the choir  
will render the following musical  
numbers:  
Ride on in Majesty, Peace  
God Shall Wipe Away all Tears,  
Behold the King, Field  
Parker

**Christian Science Society.**  
Services to which all are welcome  
are held at No. 2 Market street Sun-  
day morning at 10:45, and Wednesday  
evening at 7:45. Subject for March  
29, "Matter."  
Sunday school at 11:50 a. m.  
A free reading room is maintained  
at the same address which is open  
to the public daily except Sunday from  
2 to 4 p. m., where all Christian Sci-  
ence literature can be found to read or  
purchased.

**Middle Street Baptist Church.**  
Morning service at 10:30, with  
preaching by the pastor The pastor

speaks to children before the ser-  
mon.  
Sunday school at noon in the chapel.  
Men's Class and Young Men's class  
in the Guild Rooms.  
Evening service at 7:30. The pas-  
tor speaks upon "The Great Choice."  
Tuesday evening 7:45. Y. P. S. C.  
E.

**Wednesday, Thursday and Friday**  
evenings at 7:40, there will be devo-  
tional services appropriate to Passch-  
Week in the chapel.


**St. John's Church**  
Rev. Harold M. Folsom, Rector.  
The Sunday before Easter.  
8:00 a. m. Holy Communion, (Chap-  
el).  
10:30 a. m. Morning prayer, Litany  
Ante-Communion, Sermon (Church).  
3:00 p. m. Sunday school. (Chapel).  
7:30 p. m. Evening prayer sermon,  
(Chapel).

**Holy Week.**  
5:00 p. m. Evening prayer, address,  
(Chapel).  
(Daily except Friday).  
Good Friday services:  
10:30 a. m. Morning prayer, Ante-  
Communion, sermon, (church).  
2:30 p. m. Litany, address (church)  
7:30 p. m. Evening prayer, sermon,  
(Chapel).

**Court Street Christian Church.**  
At the morning service at 10:30 the  
pastor will speak on "Pictures of the  
Triumphal Entry," and in the even-  
ing on "Contrasts of the Day of the  
Triumphal Entry." At this service  
Miss Harriet Seavey will read a story  
of "A colored Miner," as told by one  
that has served as such.  
Sunday school and Christian Endeav-  
or at the regular hours.  
During the week services will be  
held at 7:30 p. m., as follows:  
Monday: "Forgiveness."  
Tuesday: "The Man Christ Jesus—  
Y. M. C. A. Secretary, Mr. Alfred O.  
Booth.  
Wednesday—Home and the Home  
Influence.  
Thursday—A Completed Work—Rev.  
J. A. Donahue, Kittery Point.  
Friday—Bethsmane—A Good Fri-  
day Service.  
Please bring your New Testament  
with you that you may take part in  
the responsive readings.  
Mr. Donahue leaves the last of the  
month for Brooklyn, N. Y., and this  
will be the last opportunity for meet-  
ing him before he assumes charge of

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tion for nervous debility, lack of vig-  
or, weakened manhood, failing mem-  
ory and lame back, brought on by ex-  
cessive, unnatural drains on the forces  
of youth, that has cured so many worn  
and nervous men right in their own  
homes—without any additional help or  
medicine—that I think every man  
who wishes to regain his manly power  
and virility, quickly and quietly,  
should have a copy. So, I have deter-  
mined to send a copy of the prescrip-  
tion, free of charge, in a plain, ordi-  
nary sealed envelope, to any man  
who will write me for it.

This prescription comes from a phy-  
sician who has made a special study  
of men, and I am convinced it is the  
surest acting combination for the cure  
of deficient manhood and vigor failure  
ever put together.

I think I owe it to my fellow man  
to send them a copy in confidence, so  
that any man, anywhere who is weak  
and discouraged with repeated fail-  
ures may stop dragging himself with  
harmful patent medicines, secure  
what I believe, is the quickest acting,  
restorative, rebuilding, SPOT-TOUT-  
ING remedy ever devised, and, so  
cure himself at home quietly and  
quickly. Just drop me a line like  
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Bldg., Detroit, Mich., and I will send  
you a copy of this splendid receipt, in  
a plain, ordinary sealed envelope, free  
of charge.

His other work.  
North Church  
Services appropriate to Palm Sun-  
day and introductory to Holy Week  
will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 5 p.  
m. The following music will be sung:  
A. M.  
Anthem, Palm Branches, Faust  
Anthem, Where o'er the Steep of  
Olivet, Maunder  
Baritone Solo, The Prophet King, Camp  
P. M.  
Tenor solo, Behold and see, (Mes-  
siah) Handel  
Anthem, As Christ Upon the Cross, Bullard  
Contralto solo, Jesus crucified for  
Man, Bullard  
Sunday school in the chapel at  
noon.  
Young People's meeting in the Par-  
ish house at 6:10 p. m.  
On the evening of March 25, at half  
past seven o'clock, a Good Friday ser-  
vice will be held in the church. The  
preacher will be Albert P. Fitch of  
Andover Seminary, Cambridge. Ap-  
propriate music will be sung by the  
choir. All persons not worshipping  
elsewhere on that evening are earn-  
estly invited to be present, as Presi-  
dent Fitch is esteemed to be a preach-  
er of unusual power and helpfulness.  
Half-hour devotional services will  
be held in the chapel on Monday,  
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at  
5 p. m., with instrumental music  
and a brief address. The general sub-  
ject will be "The Cross and Its Sym-  
bolism."

**Christ Church.**  
Music at 10:30 a. m.  
Solemn Palm Procession, All Glory,  
land and honor, Teschner  
Anthem sung at entrance to the choir.  
Priest, Hail our King! Son of David,  
Redeemer of the World, Whom the  
Prophets Prolaim as Savior of the  
House of Israel, that, it to Come.  
For Thee the Father sent into the  
World to be a Saving Victim. Ex-  
pected of all from the beginning.  
Hosanna to the Son of David!  
Choir, Blessed is He that cometh in  
the Name of the Lord! Hosanna  
in the Highest!  
Introit, My God My God, Why Thou  
forsake Me? Stainer  
Kyrie, Adlain  
Tract, My God, My God, Why Hast  
Thou Forsaken Me? Stainer  
Gloria Tibi, Plainsong  
Credo, Adlain  
Offertory.  
Sermon by the rector, "Christ Crucif-  
ied, our Peace."  
Offertory, At the Cross her Station  
Keeping, French Melody  
Sanctus, Adlain  
Benedictus, qui venit, Adlain  
Agnus Dei, Adlain  
Communion, O Jesus, Word of God  
Incarnate, Adlain  
Noria in Excelsis Adlain  
Processional, Ride on, ride on in  
Majesty, in lowly pomp ride on to  
die Crassellus  
Music at 7:30 p. m.  
Psalter for the day, Plainsong  
Magnificat, Parisian Tone  
Nunc Dimittis, Tonus Regius  
Hymn At the Cross her Station Keep-  
ing, French Melody  
Sermon by Rev. Chaplain Dickens, U.  
S. N.  
Hymn, O Sacred Head surrounded by  
Crown of Piercing Thorn, Maker  
Solemn Processional, All Glory land  
and honor, Techner  
W. W. McIntire organist and choir-  
master.  
Palm Sunday  
Services: Benediction and distribu-  
tion of Palms 7:20 a. m. Holy Eu-  
charist, 7:30 a. m. Solemn Palm  
Processional and Holy Eucharist,  
11:20 a. m. Children's Palm Service  
12 m. Evensong and Solemn Pro-  
cession 7:30 p. m.  
The rector will preach at the 10:30  
a. m. Holy Eucharist. The Rev. Chap-

lain Dickens, U. S. N., at the 7:30 p.  
m. Evensong.  
Parochial Societies will not meet  
this week.  
Holy week services; Holy Euchar-  
ist each morning at 7:30 o'clock. Chil-  
dren's Litany service with short ad-  
dress each afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.  
Prayers and meditation in "The do-  
ings and sayings of the day." Each  
evening at 7:30 o'clock on Monday,  
Tuesday, at 7:30 p. m. Devotions and  
preparation for Holy Communion on  
Good Friday. Services at 7:30 and  
10:30 a. m. The Three Hours' Devot-  
ion from 12 m. to 3 p. m. Process-  
sional Litany and sermon at 7:30 p. m.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**  
The pretty home in Haverhill of  
Mrs. J. Arthur Morey, formerly of this  
city, was Friday thrown open to a  
merry party of little folks, in honor  
of the fifth anniversary of Gordon,  
the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Morey.  
Ever since the invitations had been  
issued, the little invited guests have  
been looking forward to the event  
with the greatest pleasure, and upon  
their arrival, were joyously greeted by  
the host, who was assisted in receiv-  
ing by his brother, Clifton. All soon  
joined in the festivities and with that  
enthusiasm which children only can  
command.  
It was, indeed, a pleasure to watch  
the happy faces of the children which  
told, far better than words of their  
pleasure.  
The dining room was artistically  
decorated in pink and white. The  
birthday cake was of the same colors  
and embellished with several novel  
designs.  
Master Gordon, who is a remark-  
ably bright little fellow, presented a  
very attractive appearance in white  
and pink.  
Many expressions of delight were  
heard from those present regarding  
this pleasant occasion, and with best  
wishes for many more happy birth-  
days for their little hosts, who had  
so delightfully entertained them, the  
party rather unwillingly departed.

## DIED

In this city, March 18th, Mrs. Alice  
Emma Edmunds, aged 51 years. Fun-  
eral from the residence of H. H. Ham,  
Deer street, Monday afternoon at 2:30  
o'clock. Relatives and friends invit-  
ed to attend.

## NEW MEDICAL DISCOVERY

### For All Skin Troubles

A chemist who was convinced that  
the old method of taking internal  
remedies to cure skin diseases was  
erroneous, has discovered that an ex-  
tract from a particular part of a well-  
known tree possessed antiseptic and  
curative properties on the skin dis-  
eases. It was, however, found that  
this valuable vegetable extract was  
difficult to compound with other in-  
gredients necessary to present it in  
a form convenient to use. After  
further investigations and experi-  
ments a method of special treatment  
was devised, resulting in a combina-  
tion of ingredients possessing to a  
marked degree valuable therapeutic  
properties, the like of which has nev-  
er before been produced. This im-  
portant product is known as Cadum.  
Since its introduction Cadum has  
cured many cases of chronic eczema  
and other unsightly, irritating, and  
distressing skin diseases, and this af-  
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Cadum stops the terrible itching of  
eczema at once, and begins the heal-  
ing process with the first application.  
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hives, pimples, blotches, tetar, itch-  
some herpes, scaly skin, psoriasis,  
ringworm, rash, chafings, eruptions,  
scorps, itching plica, scurvy, black-  
heads, scabs, etc. Many of the trou-  
bles effected by Cadum may be truly  
called remarkable. It destroys dis-  
ease producing germs, allays inflam-  
mation, and is soothing and healing  
to the skin. Trial box 10c; large box  
25c.

# BASS

## Will Run for Governor at the Primaries

Concord, March 19.—A political  
gathering of much interest was held  
here Friday by representatives of the  
"progressive" wing of the Republi-  
can party for the purpose of canvass-  
ing the gubernatorial situation. The  
conference began on Thursday even-  
ing and continued throughout Friday  
and part of Friday evening.

The meeting was held behind closed  
doors and in the evening a statement  
of the doings of the day was given  
out. The substance of the matter is  
that State Senator Robert P. Bass of  
Peterboro will be presented to the  
primaries as a candidate of the Re-  
publican party.

Within a few days there had grown  
up quite a sentiment in favor of  
Hon. Sherman E. Burroughs of Man-  
chester, who is also known as of the  
progressive element in the party. Bur-  
roughs' friends hoped that he would  
reconsider an earlier decision and let  
his name go in, but he was present  
at Friday's meeting and positively de-  
clined to allow his name to be con-  
sidered.

Among those present were:  
Sherman E. Burroughs of Man-  
chester, Hon. Robert P. Bass of Pe-  
terboro, Representative Clarence E.  
Clough of Lebanon, Louis E. Wyman  
of Manchester, Col. Rosecrans W.  
Pillsbury of Manchester, Gen. Daniel  
C. Remick of Littleton, Hon. James  
W. Remick of Concord, Senator Ben-  
jamin F. Greer of Goffstown, Prof.  
Jeremiah W. Sumner of Gilmanton,  
Senator Edward E. Rice of New Dur-  
ham, Senator Leason Martin of Rich-  
mond, Senator James A. Edgerly of  
Tiltonboro, Edward C. Niles of Con-  
cord, Hon. John E. Benton of Keene,  
Prof. James A. Tufts of Exeter, who  
presided, Allen Hollis of Concord,  
Edmund S. Cook of Concord, W. H.  
Goodnow of Keene, Robert E. Faulk-  
ner of Keene, Representative William  
A. Preston of New Ipswich, Hon.  
Franklin Worcester of Hollis, Repre-  
sentative Harry K. Torrey of New-  
fields.

## NAVY ORDERS

Commander J. L. Purcell to com-  
mand the Lancaster.  
Lieutenant C. R. Kear granted six  
weeks sick leave.  
Midshipman H. W. Koehler to the  
New York.  
Passed assistant Surgeon C. E. Strite  
to Las Animas, Col., for hospital  
treatment.  
Commander G. R. Stocum to com-  
mand the Rainbow.  
Lieutenant O. P. Cooper to com-  
mand Asiatic torpedo fleet, on the  
Dale.  
Ensign E. D. McWhorter to com-  
mand the Moccasin.  
Lieutenant H. H. Michael to com-  
mand first torpedo division, on the  
Dale.  
Commander C. M. Knepper from  
command the Mohican and continue  
other duties.  
Ensign J. H. Collins to naval sta-  
tion, Olangapo.  
Assistant Paymaster R. V. W.  
Bleecker to naval hospital, Canacao,  
for treatment.  
The Delaware will be placed in  
commission at Norfolk navy yard,  
April 4. The North Dakota will be  
placed in commission at Boston navy  
yard, April 6.  
Arrived, Saturn at Balboa; Paducah  
at Bluefields; Mayflower, at Ham-  
pton Roads.  
Sailed—Paducah, from Bocas del  
Toro for Bluefields; Prairie from  
Bluefields, for Cristobal; Mayflower,  
from Hampton Roads for Washing-  
ton.  
Marine Corps Orders  
First Lieutenant W. E. Parker to  
command marine detachment on the  
New York.  
Captain R. B. Sullivan, appointed  
temporary member general court mar-  
tial at Puget Sound, Wash.  
First Lieutenant A. E. Randall, to  
duty to assistant to recruiting officer,  
district of San Francisco.  
First Lieutenant W. M. Small, to  
navy yard, Washington, for treatment.  
First Lieutenant P. B. Garrett, to  
naval station, Newport.  
Colonel G. Richards, paymaster,  
appointed president marine retiring  
board at marine barracks, Washing-  
ton.  
Major J. H. Russell and B. H. Full-  
er appointed members marine retir-  
ing board, Washington.  
Captain R. R. Wallace, Jr., appoint-  
ed judge advocate of general court  
martial navy yard, New York.  
First Lieutenant R. L. Denig, ap-  
pointed post quartermaster, marine  
barracks, naval academy, Annapolis,  
Md.  
First Lieutenant F. A. Gardener ap-  
pointed recorder of marine retiring  
board, Washington.  
First Lieutenant B. S. Berry will  
report to the commandant, navy yard,  
Washington.

## NEW SHORT STORIES

Furnished the Proof.  
Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes, dis-  
cussing social questions in her usual  
interesting fashion at a dinner in New  
York, said of authority:  
"Authority is a dangerous weapon,  
especially when it is new. A new  
boss is sometimes likely in his use of  
authority to remind us of the little  
boy with the new knife who cut his  
initials on piano, sideboard, every-  
where."  
Mrs. Phelps Stokes smiled.  
"I know a young and beautiful la-  
dy," she said, "who once visited a  
plant that had a new foreman.  
"Who is the boss here?" the beau-  
tiful lady asked, approaching the fore-  
man.  
"I am the boss, madam," he replied.  
"Oh, are you?" said she.  
"He thought he detected amazement  
in her voice, and drawing himself up,  
he answered coldly:  
"Yes, I am, and I'll prove it. Elix-  
ginsou!"  
"An old fellow looked up from his  
work.  
"Higginsou, go get your envelope.  
You're fired!"

**Champ's View of Discipline.**  
When Champ Clark inherited the  
troubles of John Sharp Williams as  
minority leader in the house of rep-  
resentatives he was told that Speaker  
Cannon had a rod upbuckle for him.  
"So Uncle Joe's gwine to discipline  
me, is he?" he queried. "Well, I reck-  
on after a feller's been brought up on  
the brand of chastity they deal out  
down in ole Missouri he won't even  
shy at Cannon's crackers." It reminds  
me of ole Noah an' th' feller 't got left  
out of th' ark. Ole Noah had been ex-  
hortin' an' a-poorthin' around till th'  
hull kit an' kaboodle was plumb sick  
o' him. By and by th' flood came,  
right on schedule, an' th' ungainly-ole  
ark went a-sailin' down th' stream on  
th' topmost crest o' th' rise. Goin'  
long one day he spies one uh th' ole  
onregenerates that he kinda hed it in  
fr, who hed cllin' high up in th' tallest  
tree in them parts.  
"Well, you old hard shell, Noah  
yells to him, "what do you think now?"  
"Aw, sputters th' ole codger up th'  
tree, "this here ain't nary a flood. Down  
in th' parts where I come from th' fells  
wouldn't think this here little  
sprinkle more'n a spring shower."—  
Success.

**His Forty-eighth Try.**  
"I lunched with Winston Churchill  
at the Ritz, in London," said a New  
York journalist, "during his remark-  
able campaign. This brilliant young  
cabinet minister, with his American  
blood through his mother and his  
ancestral blood through his father, prais-  
ed American journalists.  
"He gave me an example of our  
perseverance. No less than forty-seven  
American correspondents called on  
him at the board of trade offices for  
an interview one week on the Amer-  
ican tariff, and as none of them had  
sufficiently good credentials he re-  
fused to see any of them.  
"Finally a correspondent came with  
a letter from Mr. Lloyd-George, and  
Mr. Churchill saw him gladly.  
"Do you know," he said to the  
young man, "that I have refused to see  
forty-seven of your compatriots on  
this very subject?"  
"I ought to know it," the cor-  
respondent answered, "for I'm the whole  
forty-seven."

**Libelous Ignorance.**  
John Mitchell, apropos of the strik-  
ing housemakers, said at the Colony  
club in New York:  
"Our opponents show a ludicrous  
ignorance of these young girls. Our  
opponents rather incline to regard  
these girls as the young lady regarded  
the miners' excursion.  
"Once, off Atlantic City, a coal barge  
was wrecked, and the storm washed  
great quantities of coal up on the  
white sand.  
"Two young ladies came down from  
the Marlborough-Blenheim and strolled  
up and down the beach.  
"Dear me," said the younger one,  
lifting her white skirts daintily.  
"Where does all this coal come from?"  
"There was a 'miners' excursion  
from Carbondale yesterday," her com-  
panion replied, "and I believe most of  
the miners bathed."



## Boston &amp; Maine R. R.

In Effect October 5, 1909.

FOR BOSTON—3.25, 6.25, 7.25, 8.25, 10.40, 10.55 a. m., 1.55, 6.00, 6.27, 7.20 p. m. Sunday—3.25, 6.00, 10.00 a. m., 1.52, 5.00, 7.00 p. m.

Returning, Leave Boston—7.30, 8.47, 9.00, 10.10 a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 4.55, 6.00, 7.00, 10.00 p. m. Sunday—8.20, 9.00 a. m., 1.15, 6.30, 7.00, 10.00 p. m.

FOR PORTLAND—9.55, 10.45 a. m., 2.51, 8.50, 11.45 p. m. Sunday—10.45, 8.50, 11.45 p. m.

Returning, Leave Portland—1.30, 9.00 a. m., 12.15, 5.00, 6.00 p. m. Sunday—1.30 a. m., 12.15 p. m.

FOR DOVER—5.55, 9.46 a. m., 12.20, 2.42, 5.22, 8.52 p. m. Sunday—5.55, 10.50 a. m., 8.52 p. m.

Returning, Leave Dover—5.50, 10.25 a. m., 1.10, 4.25, 6.45, 9.30 p. m. Sunday—7.30 a. m., 1.10, 4.25, 9.30 p. m.

FOR MANCHESTER AND CONCORD—9.30 a. m., 12.40, 5.25 p. m.

Returning, Leave Concord—7.43, 10.25 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

FOR YORK BEACH—7.40, 11.00 a. m., 3.05, 6.35 p. m.

Returning, Leave York Beach—6.40, 3.5 a. m., 1.00, 8.45 p. m.

FOR SOMERSWORTH AND ROCHESTER—5.55, 9.46 a. m., 2.42, 5.22 p. m. Returning, Leave Rochester—6.10, 7.25, 9.45 a. m., 5.23 p. m.

## NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE

Leaves Navy Yard—8.20, 8.35, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m.; 1.35, 2.15, 2.45, 4.00, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 6.00, 7.45 p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15 a. m.; 2.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Portsmouth—8.25, 8.45, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 1.45, 2.30, 3.30, 4.10, 4.30, 4.45, 5.15, 6.10, 11.00 p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15 a. m.; 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m. Holidays—10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00 p. m.

\*May 1 to October 15.  
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Captain of the Yard.  
Approved: CAPT. F. A. WILNER,  
Commandant.

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7.05, 9.05, 11.05 a. m., 1.05, 3.05, 5.05,

7.05, 9.05, 11.05 p. m.

EXETER for PORTSMOUTH—7.15,

8.15, 10.15 a. m., 12.15, 1.15, 4.15, 6.15,

8.15, 10.15 p. m.

For timetables see back of paper.

## NEW MARKET

Valer A. Nichols, who injured his back in a fall from a ladder and has been confined to his bed for several months, is now able to get about and is expected to be discharged from the hospital in a few days.

John H. Nichols, who injured his back in a fall from a ladder and has been confined to his bed for several months, is now able to get about and is expected to be discharged from the hospital in a few days.

Commander Edward H. Durell U. S. N., will not act as captain of the battleship Indiana during the summer cruise of the midshipmen of the naval academy. The midshipmen will sail June 1 for a cruise of nearly 10,000 miles returning the last of August.

Patrons and tickets are out for the third annual concert and dance to be given by John J. Hanson Camp, S. of V., on Easter, Monday evening, March 28.

Clifford Haley is confined to the house with the grip.

Frank E. Lang has purchased a touring car.

Gay Brackett of Providence, R. I., was in town several days this week.

## PACIFIC FLEET PENNANT WINNER

Schroeder's Squadrons Are Well Out-pointed in Late Battle Practice.

Results of the battle practice for 1909 given out by the navy department, show the Pacific fleet a decisive winner over the Atlantic fleet. The standings are made up by combining the various efficiencies in the day, night and torpedo battle practices. By this comparative battle efficiency the Pacific fleet, Rear Admiral Schreder, commander-in-chief (now retired), and Lieutenant Commander D. W. Knox fleet ordnance officer, obtained 29,922 points, while the Atlantic fleet, Rear Admiral Seaton Schroeder, commander-in-chief, and Lieutenant Commander Ridley McLean fleet ordnance officer, 21,678 points.

The following is the standing of the squadrons, divisions and flotillas: Squadrons—1, First squadron, Pacific fleet, 26,136; 2, Second squadron, Pacific fleet, 28,698; 3, Second squadron, Atlantic fleet, 19,862; 4, First squadron, Atlantic fleet, 19,440.

Divisions—1, Second division, first squadron, Pacific fleet, 30,224; 2, Second division, third squadron, Pacific fleet, 30,173; 3, First division, first squadron, Pacific fleet, 28,049; 4, First division, third squadron, Pacific fleet, 27,346; 5, First division, first squadron, Atlantic fleet, 25,950; scout cruiser division, Atlantic fleet, 20,730; 7, Fourth division, second squadron, Atlantic fleet, 20,240; 8, Third division, second squadron, Atlantic fleet, 19,480; 9, Second division, first squadron, Atlantic fleet, 12,951; 10, armored cruiser division, Atlantic fleet, 12,919.

Flotillas—1, Third flotilla, Pacific torpedo fleet, 35,943; second flotilla, Pacific torpedo fleet, 29,142; 3, first flotilla, Pacific torpedo fleet, 27,672; torpedo flotilla, attached to this squadron, Pacific fleet, 28,863.

The following divisions of the Atlantic fleet did not fire any guns, but the standing here given is the torpedo standing only—1, Third division, 37,026; 2, Second division, 21,838; 3, First division, 19,224.

## TAKE PRISONERS TO ATLANTA

United States Marshal E. P. Nute and Deputy Marshal M. J. Hurley of this city started this morning with Joseph Kelley, for the Federal prison at Atlanta, Ga. Kelley who has already served time at Atlanta, has been sentenced to one year and six months in United States court here Tuesday for the break at the Seabrook post office.

## ANOTRE DAME LADY'S APPEAL

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbago, backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia, pains in the wrists, to her for a home treatment, which has repeatedly cured all of these troubles. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers FREE. You cure yourself at home as thousands will testify—no change of climate being necessary. This simple discovery banishes rheumatism from the blood, loosens the stiffened joints, purifies the blood, and brightens the eyes, giving electricity and life to the whole system. Write above interests you, for proof address Mrs. M. Summers, Box 9, North Duxbury, Mass.

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HELP WANTED—Young girl to help with housework through the day. To sleep home nights. Apply 13 Lincoln avenue. ch11m12

WANTED—Salesman of ability and neat appearance to call on all merchants in their territory; elegant side line, convenient to carry; good commissions; prompt remittance. Belmont Mfg. Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

COMPETENT NURSE wants nursing of all kinds, patients receive best of care. Would care for invalid, or go anywhere in or out of state. Address or call H. L. Villars, No. 5 Prospect St., Exeter, N. H. ch11m12

## WANTED

WANTED—Single cottage house—seven or eight rooms, on car line, good yard. No children in family. Address M. this office. m15,lc,2t

Resident Manager—Salesman Wanted for his district. Elegant opportunity, experience unnecessary, good pay. American Cigar Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

SALESMEN WANTED—At once, salesmen for dress goods and silks in large department store in Portland. Address Edmund Henry, 53 Atlantic St., Portland, Me. m15,lc,2t

WANTED—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big; work pleasant; demand for men great; reasonable; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y. jw11t

## TO LET

TO LET—Two rooms for light house-keeping. Apply 47 1-2 Court street. ch11m18

TO LET—Tenement 24 Fleet St., steam heat, rent \$12.50. Will be ready February 24. ch11m11

TO LET—Tenement, seven rooms with steam heat and bath, hot and cold water. Inquire at Herald office. j17,lc,1t

TO LET—Tenement, steam heated, 2 Webster Court. Ready this week. Rent \$12. Apply this office. U

TO LET—Store at corner of Bow and Market streets. Apply at his office. ch11,lc,9

TO LET—House and shop on Fleet street. Will let separately or together. Inquire of Mrs. Moulton, 5 Liberty street. ch11,lc,9

TO LET—A large front room, modern improvements, also running water. No. 35 Islington St. Apply at 51 Congress, (millinery store). ch11m14

## LOST

LOST—Pocket knife pearl handle. Finder will receive reward by returning to this office. f24,lc,1t

LOST—Lady's pocketbook between Middle Street and the Gale Shoe factory. Reward for return. Mrs. L. J. Jirsa, 95 Congress St. m18,lc,1w

## FOR SALE

6 PER CENT Farm Mortgages for sale. These are choice investments. 20 years' experience. Best of references. Write us for list. Interstate Securities Co., Minneapolis, Minn. ch11,25,5,12,19,25

FOR SALE—Horse, wagon and harness, bay mare 900 lbs., harness and light delivery wagon, "good peddling outfit." Inquire Downs' Fish Market. m17,lc,1w

FOR SALE—30 White P. Rocks, 1 Pea Bug Orplingtons, 20 Breeding Cockerels, Eggs for hatching from Barred and White P. Rocks and A. I. Reds, young chicks for sale April 1. George A. Norton, Greenland, N. H. m15,lc,1w

FOR SALE—Pen. (5) Columbian Wyandots, High grade stock. G. G. Williams, Greenland Village, N. H. ch11,lc,1w

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Oliver typewriter, one nearly new, one second hand. Prices \$55 and \$40. Address lock box No. 63, Kittery Point, Me. ch11,lc,1w

FOR SALE—Vault Door—Iron grating doors and windows in N. M. & Traders' Bank Bldg. Inquire this office. j120,lc,1t

FOR SALE—Three second hand Williams' visible typewriters. Bargains. Inquire this office. n3,lc,1t

FOR SALE—Large bank desk formerly used at Portsmouth Savings bank. Inquire at this office.

## MISCELLANEOUS

LODGES and Church societies furnished with moving picture shows at short notice. Apply to Manager Music Hall.

To Let—Stores and storage for furniture, etc. Apply to H. A. Clark & Co., Commercial Warf. 11

EGGS for hatching, from thoroughbred White Leghorns, single or rose comb, 75c for setting of thirteen. Apply 49A South street. m10,lc,1t

SIGNS—Some large and small signs that can be repainted to suit can be had at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

LARGE COUNTER—Formerly used in National Mechanics & Traders' Bank can be had at a bargain. Inquire at this office.



## SOME OHIO SPRAYING RESULTS.

When the average orchard owner who has not been spraying his trees is bronched on the question of spraying, quite naturally one of the first points he raises is, "Does it pay?" With a view to giving an emphatic affirmative answer to this question a number of the state experiment stations have during the past three or four years conducted most instructive co-operative spraying experiments, in which the matter seems to have been given very conclusive demonstration. Of the above type of experiments were those conducted by the Ohio station in 1907. Twelve acres of an orchard near Amherst were selected for the experiment, the trees being twenty feet in height and having about an equal spread of top. A few trees were left unsprayed for purposes of comparison. At harvest time 2,500 bushels of perfect apples were gathered, a conservative estimate of the gain due to spraying being \$1,400, or over \$100 per acre, and this after the cost of spraying, amounting to \$125, had been subtracted. Set, as this orchard was, in the midst of many other unsprayed orchards, the demonstration was very convincing, and as a result of the showing made many orchardists of the state were convinced of the practical value of spraying and took the work up the following year. The average of picked sound fruit at harvest time on all the trees sprayed was 90 per cent, while the same average for the unsprayed trees was less than 65 per cent. The main fact proved in connection with this work is that if one has an orchard which is worth anything at all he cannot afford to leave it unsprayed, as so doing will reduce both the quantity and quality of his fruit below the point where he can successfully compete with the growers of clean fruit. On the other hand, if the orchard is too far gone to justify the expense of spraying, it were better cut out and converted into stove wood, as it is merely an incumbrance on the ground.

## HOW IT WAS GROWN.

When one reads of an exceptional yield of grain or corn an interest very naturally attaches to the methods followed in producing it. For this reason those who have read the previous reference in these notes to the authenticated yield of 154 bushels of corn secured from a single acre by John Sundberg will be interested in knowing how it was grown. The ground on which this fine yield was produced was second bottom Missouri valley soil which had been in clover pasture some five years preceding. It was plowed in the fall, and in the spring it was given the usual thorough preparation for corn, including disk and harrowing. An acre and a half were chosen in the richest part of the field, one acre being left out for the actual test. The grower figured out in advance just how many plants he would have to have to produce 150 bushels at harvest. To this was added a sufficient number of kernels to make up for those that for one cause or another would fail to produce ears. He planted the corn early in May, using a drill and double planting, so that the rows were twenty-one inches apart, the kernels being dropped eighteen inches apart in the row. The cultivating was done with a single horse and a five tooth cultivator, this being given at frequent intervals so as to keep the soil loose and moist. At husking time an actual count showed 11,890 stalks with ears averaging in weight 14.4 ounces. The land was re-measured and the corn weighed in the presence of a justice of the peace. The variety planted was Reid's Yellow Dent. It is interesting to note in connection with this yield that it was just about six times the average yield per acre for corn the country over. It is worth remembering, too, that in addition to using the finest pure bred seed obtainable, the corn was grown on a very rich piece of bottom land and was given ideal cultivation. When corn growers will give more heed to the three factors here mentioned in the growing of their corn the yield of this great cereal will be materially increased.

## DOES 'CLIMATE CHANGE?

An inspection of meteorological records made in semiarid sections during the past fifty years seems to give little encouragement to the theory that the breaking up of the soil in those sections and the growing thereon of tilled crops tend to increase the actual amount of rainfall from year to year. The most that can be fairly said seems to be thatillage of the soil in sections of short rainfall makes possible a maximum ability of the moisture that does fall, while there is little question that mellow soil and growing crops serve to reduce somewhat the withering effect of hot south winds in that they tend to lessen rather than increase their capacity to absorb moisture.

The Missouri legislator who left political life and embarked in the stunk business as a more congenial and savory occupation quite likely played the role of reformer for a bunch of unfeeling and unresponsive constituents.

The feeder is certainly not living up to his opportunities in a progressive age who doggedly stuffs high priced feed into a scrub steer which will fetch \$1 when he could just as well convert the same feed into grade or high grade beefs that would fetch from \$8 to \$9 per hundredweight.

A well known agricultural paper in a recent issue recommended, unquestionably as the result of an error or oversight on the part of the "editor" or managing editor, the sowing of from 100 to 200 pounds of clover seed per acre. In view of the fact that ten pounds would be a superabundance of seed, the error will be detected at sight.

There may be readers of these notes who would like information relative to the several irrigation projects which are being carried to completion under the supervision of the national government or about public lands anywhere which are still subject to homestead entry. Inquiries addressed to the office of public lands, Washington, D. C., stating what is wanted, will secure the information which is sought.

The fellow who has been duping folks in some of the eastern states through the sale of a dope which he claims will render poultry immune from the worst ailments that afflict them for the rest of their lives is first cousin to that other chap who operated in about the same territory a year or so ago with a spray mixture the application of which he said would protect trees from their several insect and fungous pests for a term of several years.

That the sheep business bids fair to be a paying one for some time to come is indicated in figures which have recently been published showing that since 1873 there has been a decrease in the world's flocks of sheep of 93,000,000 head, or more than 3,000,000 head a year. The decrease seems to be in quite a measure due to movements of population which have discouraged the keeping of the large flocks of the past, a tendency which means that the keeping of a limited number on the small farm would be attended with increased profit.

At Rothamsted, England, is located a famous government experiment station where exhaustive experiments in soil fertility and crop production have been conducted during the past fifty years. On one field to which no manure and no plant food has been given the average yield of wheat per acre during this interval has been 12.9 bushels. Another field which has been heavily fertilized with barnyard manure has given an average of 35.5 bushels for the same period. A third field which has been re-enforced with commercial fertilizers has produced 37.1 bushels of wheat per acre in the same period. These English experiments should have a suggestion or two for some American farmers who are getting perilously near the twelve bushel yield as a result of continuous cropping to wheat.

The application of lime to land does not add to its store of fertilizing elements, but merely serves to correct an acid condition of soil, thereby enabling plant life to utilize the elements already stored there. Some experiments lately conducted by the New Jersey station showed that on sandy soils ground unburned limestone gave better results than burned and slaked lime. In similar experiments, conducted by the Florida experiment station the application of ground unburned limestone doubled the yield of beggarweed, a legume which is classed as the "clover of the state." An interesting fact which was developed in connection with this test was that the liming of the soil resulted also in a large increase in the number and size of nitrogen nodules, upon which the value of the legumes as soil enrichers depends. This service rendered by lime is one that those who are desirous of getting a start in alfalfa and some other legumes should keep in mind.

Among the several elements of the soil that make the growth of plant life possible is humus, or vegetable matter in various stages of decomposition, consisting of the roots, stalks and leaves of the plants which have grown thereon in a wild state or have been mechanically distributed. Not only does such decaying vegetable matter contain important chemical fertilizing elements, but it gives the soil that friability and looseness so essential to an easy manipulation of it with plow and cultivator and so favorable to a ready circulation of the soil air and moisture, indispensable factors in a rapid growth of plant life. In view of these facts the tiller of the soil should keep constantly in mind both the wisdom and necessity of maintaining this supply of humus in the soil and increasing it when occasion requires. A proper understanding of the matter should put a stop to the burning of stubble and straw, should mean the turning down now and then of growths of green manures and the raking and scattering of the largest possible quantities of stable manure. It is under a system of grain farming that the supply of humus in the soil is most rapidly depleted, and on this account the system is a harmful one and should be discouraged in all sections where stock raising and dairying can take its place.

"Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof" should not be construed as a scriptural excuse for a fellow failing to look ahead in testing his seed corn. Rather should one be guided by that secular admonition, "The Lord helps those who help themselves."

The number of bushels of apples culled annually through rotting moth infestation—the moth responsible for the apple worm—is placed at between 20,000,000 and 25,000,000 bushels, or nearly one-third of the total crop marketed during the past two or three years. Here is a leak, a leak of the biggest kind, that orchardists ought to look at and to.

If cement is used as a material for flooring a generous supply of bedding should be used. This will serve to protect the floor and the horses' feet and will offset the harm that might come from the tendency of such a floor to gather dampness. The same principle will apply in the use of cement as a floor for the henhouse, particularly during the months when the hens are closely confined there in.

To any one who is interested in the subject of earning a livelihood by the intensive cultivation of a small piece of land a little book lately come from the press of Macmillan & Co., New York city, will prove to be enlightening and instructive. It is "Three Acres and Liberty" and its author is Mr. Bolton, who was assisted in its preparation by some of the leading agriculturists and horticulturists of the country.

The raising of more bushels of grain and tons of hay to the acre from a given piece of land serves doubly to aggravate the matter of an exhaustion of soil fertility unless along with the harvesting of the larger yields, there goes the adoption of such methods of culturing as will enable the soil to maintain its supply of fertilizing elements notwithstanding the heavier draft placed upon it. This is a point not often referred to and yet one that may well be kept in view.

Ohio and Mississippi valley farms are slowly but surely being threatened with the same fate which has overtaken all too many eastern farms and southern plantations through a long continued and ruinous system of cropping which has had no thought for a maintenance or restoration of soil fertility. The only course that can prevent such a calamity from being fully realized in the sections mentioned is the adoption of rational methods in the handling of the farm, crop rotation, dairying and stock raising, and in general ceasing to employ thirty dollar methods on land that is worth from \$30 to \$100 per acre.

In Connecticut and some other new England states the laws which have been in force for some years past, having in view the protection of certain numbers that the animals have become a positive source of injury to gardeners and orchardists. One case reported lately in the Connecticut agricultural journal is that the destruction of 500 young apple trees, the trees being valued at \$100 each, all their smaller branches being cut off, is already about looking to a repeal or such modification of the law as will result in reducing the number of the deer and keeping them in their legitimate haunts, the untilled meadows and timberlands.

A recourse at hand for those who occupy positions which they are economically oppressive as well as of unscrupulous nature, is the taking of the steps necessary to secure a small tract of fertile land. This cannot be done in a moment, but once it is taken as an object for achievement and worthy of one's best efforts a long step toward the desired goal is made. A home on the land and a living extracted from the few acres, adjoining, mean hard work, but they carry with them a guarantee of health, contentment and economic self respect. Were this movement of population from the cities to the soil to become at all general it would effect a cure of the worst ills, social, economic and moral, that folk suffer from today; while it would mean better wages and more considerate treatment for those who remained in industrial pursuits.

The decadence of many a small town of a thousand inhabitants or less may be the result of seemingly inevitable economic conditions, agricultural and industrial, but it is worth while citing the fact that this lapse seems coincident with the amazing of enormous fortunes by big mail order houses in the large cities which bear down the burden of taxation imposed in the small towns notwithstanding the fact that they are supplying their very blood. Some day farm dwellers will wake up to the fact that their lands have shrunk in value, or at least failed to advance to the point that they otherwise would, as a result of this trading away from home. There can be no other result. The only reason why land is worth more near a town of 5,000, 10,000 or 20,000 people is not because it is more fertile or productive, but simply owing to the fact that it lies adjacent to a good town. A grain elevator, stockyards and postoffice are necessary adjuncts to every town, but they do not in themselves serve as a flaming advertisement suited to attract men of energy or business enterprises of real value.

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#### LOCAL DASHES.

Holy week next week.  
Lawn mowers sharpened at Horne's.  
The county jail here has thirty inmates.  
Lumbermen are breaking camp in the woods.  
It promises to be very lively socially after Easter.  
Special Luncheon every day at the National Hotel, 40 cents.  
Residents of Islington street want some block paving put down there.  
Smoke the Warwick 100 cigar, Ed. Brown manufacturer, 38 Market St.  
The Herald prints twice as much local news as any other local paper.  
The invitations are out for the annual Easter ball of the Country club.  
Have your shoes repaired at John Mot's, corner Fleet and Porter Sts.  
There is going to be something doing on the navy yard in the line of sensations.  
The baseball season has started, the high school boys starting practice on Friday.  
The officials of the telephone company had an interesting session here on Friday.  
The new bridge for Kittery and the navy yard will have all the latest improvements.  
Take your shoe troubles to Greene, successor to E. C. Hepworth, 6 and 8 Congress street.  
Live lobsters, haddock, smelts, clams, scallops, spawns, halibut, finnan haddie, meats and provisions, Edward S. Downs, 37 Market St.  
Warmer weather is predicted for today. Yesterday morning it was cold enough for this time of the year, with a temperature of from four to six above zero.  
A letter from one of the petty officers on the New Jersey contains an ardent expression of a wish that the ship were coming to Portsmouth instead of Boston.  
The Rivermouth Girls club gave a progressive dinner on Friday, in honor of Miss Laura Matthews, who acted as manager of their recent play, "The Rivermouth Girls at College."  
P. A. Robbins, the upholsterer and cabinet maker, 61 Market St., Agent for "Santo," Vacuum Cleaner, Let me do your house cleaning for you, or rent you a "Santo." Telephone.

#### DIED AFTER OPERATION

Nell K. McInnis Passed Away at the Cottage Hospital.

Nell K. McInnis, a well known employee of the Eldredge Brewing company, died at the Cottage hospital on Friday afternoon after an operation at the hospital. McInnis was operated upon early in the afternoon for intestinal troubles and he never recovered.

He was a native of Nova Scotia and had been living in this city for many years, having been employed for the past five years as engineer at the brewing plant.

Deceased was a member of the Court Rockingham, Foresters of America; Sagamore Engine Company, Number One, and a selectman in Ward Three. Besides his wife and five children, he leaves one brother, John McInnis, and a sister, Mrs. John O'Brien.

#### YOUNG TIGERS WON

Early Baseball on the Ward Field This Morning

The Young Tigers beat a picked eighth grade team this morning on the Ward field, the score standing 19 to 6. The work of the Tiger battery was the feature of the game. The participants were:  
Tigers—Dane pitcher, Tryder catcher, Newton first base, Rutledge second base, R. McBride third base, Badger shortstop, Holland left field, W. Chutsworth center field, Murch right field.  
Eighth Grade—J. McBride pitcher, Wright catcher, Kane first base, J. W. Shuttlesworth center field, Murch third base, Conlin shortstop, Ward left field, Yeaton center field, Warburton right field.  
Umpire Trafton.  
Attendance 25.

#### WANTS BOXING MATCH

Ernest Lee Would Like to Meet the Mysterious Unknown

Ernest Lee, the former navy boxer, now living at 44 Bow street, this city, called at the Herald office this forenoon and asked the paper to issue a challenge to Mr. White of the U. S. S. Southern, manager for the unknown who arrived in the city, on Friday, and is understood to be looking for a match.

Lee is a lively colored boxer who has won many matches in the navy, and is well known here as a skilled artist with his dukes. He states that he would be ready to meet the mysterious unknown in three weeks.

#### A TRIBUTE

Passed from earth to her heavenly home on the 18th inst., Mrs. Alice Emma Edmund. She suffered a stroke of paralysis three weeks ago and since that time gradually sank.

Mrs. Edmunds was a woman of superior mind, the personification of unselfishness. To make others happy at any sacrifice to herself was her greatest pleasure.

She was a great lover of nature and of children.

Besides an idolized daughter, she leaves a great number of friends to mourn her loss.

"None knew her but to love her; None named her but to praise." H.

For local news read the Herald.

## AT NAVY YARD

Commodore Bartlett Is Dead at Worcester

A New Sub Inspector in Yards and Docks

#### Tug to Sail on Tuesday

The tug Patapsco is expected to leave this yard on Tuesday next to join the fleet at Hampton Roads. Before proceeding South the boat will go in at Provincetown for standardization tests. At first it was thought the tug would remain here until the Wisconsin came in but it was feared the battleship might be delayed and interfere with the tug getting to the drill grounds by March 30.

Sailed from Here on Piscataqua  
Commodore Charles W. Bartlett, U. S. N., who died at Worcester, Mass., on March 17, commanded the U. S. S. Piscataqua when that ship was put in commission at this yard during the Spanish war.

Another Inspector Added to Force  
H. L. Hinkley of Newburg, N. Y., has been appointed a sub inspector in the department of yards and docks. The appointment was made necessary by the large amount of building now in progress at this station.

Commission North Dakota April 6 at Boston

The battleship North Dakota will be received from the contractors at the Boston yard April 6 and will be placed in commission the same day. The Delaware will probably be delivered April 4, and also be placed in commission that day. Both ships are to have numerous bulkheads constructed in accordance with the consensus of views expressed at the Newport conference two years. The work will be done at their respective yards, and it will be several months before either will be in readiness to go to sea for a shakedown cruise.

Capt. Thomas Evans, master of lugs at this yard, is expected to bring the big fighter from Quincy to Boston.

#### Fine Grounds at Prison

The work done on the grounds surrounding the naval prison since last fall has added much beauty there and furnished one of the best parade and baseball grounds at any station on the coast.

#### Prisoners Fully Recovered

Montgomery and McCarvey, the two court martial men who were recently shot in their attempt to escape from the naval prison, have fully recovered from the same.

#### Going to Have a New General Store

Bids will be opened at the Bureau of Yards and Docks May 7 for the construction at the Puger Sound navy yard of a general storehouse which is to be 170 feet wide and 250 feet long and four stories in height.

#### Medals for Kearsarge crew

A bill has been introduced in Congress by Representative Gardner directing that all surviving officers and crew of the U. S. S. Kearsarge built at this yard, be furnished with funds to provide medals in memory of the famous battle with the Alabama off the coast of France June 19, 1864. The vessel had among her crew many Portsmouth men at the time of the battle, many of whom have long gone to their last resting place. Martin W. Hoyt is at present the only survivor living in this city.

#### Going on Recruiting Duty

Chief Master at Arms Warren has been transferred from the U. S. S. Marietta to recruiting duty at Cedar Rapids.

#### Everybody to Wear Goggles

Naval Constructor W. J. Baxter, U. S. N., on duty at the navy yard, New York, has issued orders that all the men working on the new battleship Florida, in course of construction, shall hereafter wear goggles to protect them from the minute particles of steel that are constantly flying about now that the steel drilling is well under way. It is expected that the Florida will be ready for launching early in May.

#### Gun Taken Out for Repairs

One of the guns used in the saluting battery has been removed to the ordnance shops for repairs.

#### Carrying Swagger Sticks

Many members of the marine guard can be seen while on liberty carrying the swagger stick in their travels which is a rule among the English

soldiers. The stick is all right but it's hoped they will never take to the "Tommy Atkins" caps. It's not likely the government will ever put these hats on the navy police.

No Extra Money for the Engineer  
Civil Engineer A. J. Menocal, U. S. navy, recently claimed commutation of quarters from Aug. 1 to 26, 1909, while at his home in New York. He was discharged from the naval hospital on July 19 and ordered to duty before a board of inquiry in Boston. This duty was completed on July 31 and he did not receive further orders until Aug. 25, when he was ordered to Portsmouth, N. H. He spent the intervening time in New York at his home and claims that he was subject to orders and not detached from duty at Boston. He claimed commutation of quarters during that period and the comptroller holds that the completion of the duty detached him from the temporary assignment at Boston and that he was on waiting orders during the period in question and is, therefore, not entitled to commutation of quarters.—Army and Navy Register.

#### PERSONALS.

Mrs. Fred B. Coleman is seriously ill.  
Miss Gertrude Young was a Boston visitor on Friday.

John E. Thompson of Hampton is in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hogan of Portland are in the city today.

Mrs. L. H. Thayer and son Ellsworth passed the day in Boston.

A. D. Foster and wife of Dover passed last night with relatives in this city.

George E. French has returned from a two days' business trip to New York.

Mrs. Louise T. Gurney of Stratham, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Gurney on Union street.

Miss Blanche Truesdale matron at the Cottage hospital, has returned from a visit in Concord.

Miss Flavilla Roberts formerly of this city, is seriously ill at the home of Dr. William N. Noyes in Salem.

Miss Edna Morse and Miss E. C. Freeman of this city were the guests Friday afternoon and evening of Mrs. Alice Newson of Kittery.

Mrs. Ida Connor of Salem, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clarence Newson, on Walker street, returned to her home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Goss of West Rye announce the engagement of their daughter, Harriet Drew, to Ernest Jennings Moulton of North Hampton.

Mrs. Anna L. G. Philbrick, who resides with her son, Elbridge T. Philbrick on Miller avenue, quietly observed the eighty-seventh anniversary of her birth on Friday. Mrs. Philbrick is remarkably well preserved for a woman of her years.

#### GOT MARRIED—LOST JOB

Military Attache at Tokio Must Not Be Cumbered with a Wife

Washington, March 19.—Because he suddenly decided to marry the girl with whom he made mud pies in Knoxville, Lieutenant Charles M. Austin, U. S. N., will end at San Francisco a bridal tour which promised to end at Tokio.

Lieutenant Austin is the son of Representative and Mrs. Austin of Tennessee. His bride is Miss Margaret McTeer of Knoxville, Tenn.

Lieutenant Austin was ordered to Tokio as an attaché of the embassy where the United States desired to place some younger officers to study the Japanese language. It develops that the navy department does not want married men at Tokio, and least of all bridegrooms.

#### HONOR CLEVELAND'S HONOR

New York, March 19.—Personal friends and political admirers of the late Grover Cleveland from many states united to honor his memory at the anniversary dinner of the National Democratic club on Friday evening. Ten secretaries of the Cleveland cabinets and their assistants were guests and five were speakers.

David R. Francis, secretary of the Interior during Cleveland's second term, told how Cleveland, in the last hours of his administration, had delayed McKinley's inauguration aimed to defeat the administration policy of conserving national resources.

#### GERALDINE E. HOOD

Geraldine E. Hood, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse J. Hood of No. 12 Washington street, died this morning, aged two years, ten months and seventeen days.

The funeral was held at the home at two o'clock this afternoon, Rev. William P. Stanley conducting the services. She was tenderly laid away in the South cemetery.

The funeral director was O. W. Ham.

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## NAVY YARD OVERTIME

More of the Workmen's Old Accounts Have Been Audited

Washington, March 19.—The clerk of the court of claims has certified to the United States senate an additional list of names of workmen at the Portsmouth navy yard who worked ten hours per day and received pay for eight hours between March 21, 1878, and Sept. 21, 1882, and whose claims for pay for the extra time have been audited. The list is:

Edward J. Norton, \$200.74.  
John W. Bickford, \$136.35.  
John Flanagan, \$30.64.  
Edwin A. Duncan, \$88.76.  
Charles J. Whitehouse, \$461.  
George F. Tobey, \$67.25.  
Edward T. McIntire, \$294.31.  
J. Mahlon Bickford, \$514.39.

#### MUSIC HALL

Harmony Trio a Big Hit.

The usual crowd attended Music Hall last evening and judging from the applause were well pleased with the show presented.

Burgos and Clara, Western gymnasts continue to hold the people's attention. Mr. Burgos performs some various tricks with the larlat, and with the aid of Miss Clara, performs some difficult tricks on the wire.

The Harmony Trio, was the big hit of the evening, singing some of the latest song successes, among which was "Gee, But this is a Lonesome Town" rendered by one of the trio, and was a great hit.

Desmond Kellen, a musical artist, was well received.

The pictures will change and include the complete releases of the day, viz:

"Little Jack's Letter," Dramatic.  
"In the Footfalls of Savoy," Scenic.  
"A Willful Dame," Comedy.  
"Wild Bird Hunt," Educational.  
"Wooing the Widow," Comedy.

#### CHANGES IN CONGRESS STREET

New Eating Rooms and a Barber Shop to Move on Street Floor

The upper rooms on the corner of Congress and Church streets, occupied by James H. Sherry as a barber shop, will shortly be utilized by Hodgdon and Kershaw as ladies' eating rooms in connection with their restaurant.

Mr. Sherry will move on the street floor and locate next door in the rooms formerly occupied by E. C. Hepworth.

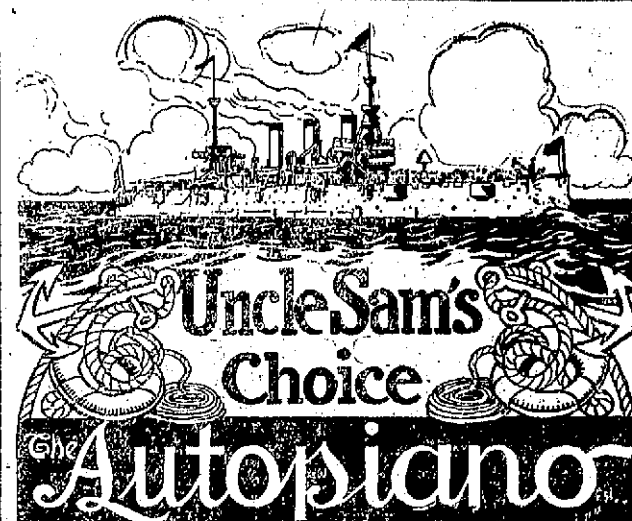
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